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FBI Attack On New Left Movement

WASHINGTON (AP) — FBI Director Clarence M. Kelley today promised a full, detailed report on operations of a three-year program launched by the late J. Edgar Hoover "to expose, disrupt and otherwise neutralize" the New Left movement.

Kelley strongly defended the so-called counter-intelligence operation as a vital measure "to protect the fabric of our society."

Kelley promised the report to the attorney general, indicating that it would not be made public immediately and offered no additional information about the program's activities.

Hoover established the nationwide operation on May 10, 1968, and terminated it on April 28, 1971.

Sources have said the operation involved the use of agents-provocateurs to incite possible violent activities.

Two memos giving a general description of the operation were made public by the FBI on Thursday after the Justice Department decided against appealing a court order that they be turned over to an NBC newsmen.

HARD CORE

The bulk of Kelley's 3 1/2 page statement today was devoted to a defense of the operation, beginning with an account of what he called "a hard core revolutionary movement which . . . set out, in its own words to bring the government to its knees through the use of force and violence."

Kelley said the government "would have been derelict in its duty had it not taken the measures to protect the fabric of our society."

He acknowledged that critics may condemn such activities and said he may agree to additional legislation governing the FBI's counterintelligence activities.

An informed Justice Department source said Thursday that the FBI possesses many other documents outlining specific activities of the nationwide attack on the New Left.

This source said some of those documents "can't be found any more."

Prime Rate Raised

NEW YORK (AP) — First National City Bank, the nation's second largest commercial bank, raised its prime rate to 10 per cent today. Economists said the rise indicates that despite the energy crisis industry is still expanding at an unprecedented rate.

The action quickly was duplicated by Bankers Trust Co., the nation's seventh largest bank.

Money experts generally regard the actions of Citibank as reflecting the state of the prime rate in general since the bank bases its prime on a formula geared to money market conditions.

The prime rate is the minimum base lending rate banks charge their largest and most credit-worthy corporate customers. While not connected with consumer interest rates or small business loans, the prime generally reflects over-all interest rate conditions.

Citibank's raise of its prime rate today by 1/4 percentage point to match the record 10 per cent high of September followed a prime rate boost Monday by the First National Bank of Chicago to 9.9 per cent from its former level of 9 3/4 per cent.

Money experts have said that the prime rate usually reflects the rate of the nation's growth, and the level of wholesale prices.

Unemployment Rate Spirals

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's unemployment rate jumped to 4.7 per cent of the work force in November, signaling the beginning of sharply higher joblessness as the result of the fuel shortage, the government said today.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics said that the number of people out of work increased by 200,000 last month, in a survey taken just a few weeks after the Arab oil embargo.

The jump from October's 4.5 per cent unemployment could be traced as much to a slowing of the general economy as to job layoffs caused by the embargo. Economists expect that the first big impact of the fuel shortage on jobs will be felt in either December or January.

Help Sought In TIA Bout

Representatives of the Chamber of Commerce air service committee will ask the City Council Tuesday to underwrite part of the expenses expected to be involved in the official fight against Texas International Airlines.

Council will also be asked to consider letting the Howard County Association for Retarded Children use the city house at Comanche Trail Park for a meeting center and may also discuss providing a center for senior citizens.

Ordinances prohibiting the sale of raw milk and the firing of B.B. guns and similar weapons will come up for final reading.

Permission will be sought to advertise for bids on a chipper and employ group insurance.

The council will award a bid on the sale of municipal property on Gregg Street next to the VA Hospital and will consider on first reading an ordinance abandoning an alley running east and west adjacent to block 54 of amended Government Heights to Bauer Addition on the north and block 45 on the south.

The meeting at 9 a.m. Tuesday is a regular council session.

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Death Of Man Ruled Suicide

The partially decapitated body of L. B. Fields, 54, was discovered this morning at his home, Peace Justice Gus Ochotorena ruled the death a suicide.

Ted Fields, brother of the dead man, discovered the body shortly before 9 a.m. when he went to call on him. He immediately notified police.

Investigating Officer Kenneth Shores said the body was found seated on the living room couch in Fields' home at 204 W. 12th.

A 12-gauge shotgun was positioned between the man's legs with the muzzle pointing toward the man's head. He died from a single shot between the temples.

Shores said Fields apparently pulled the trigger with his toes. One shoe was off.

Judge Ochotorena estimated the time of death to be between 3 and 4 p.m. Thursday.

No notes or other clues as to a possible motive for suicide were found. Ted Fields, however, said his brother had arthritis trouble and had been depressed for a long time.

He said the last time he had seen his brother was Tuesday morning.

Services for Fields are pending at River-Welch Funeral Home.

Besides Shores, other investigating officers were Detectives Arvin Henry and James McCain and I.D. Officer Paul Silva.

Beal's Creek Diversion Project Is Activated

The Beal's Creek diversion project, designed to influence the quality of water in Lake E. V. Spence, was activated Thursday.

It was started just in time to prevent the overflow of a series of playa lakes west of Big Spring into Beal's Creek, and hence ultimately into the Colorado River which feeds Lake Spence.

When it reaches full stage of pumping 2,200,000 gallons of

Ford Becomes Nation's 40th Vice President

WASHINGTON (AP) — Gerald R. Ford formally assumed his duties as the nation's 40th vice president today.

He signed the papers so he can get paid, received his parking stickers and presided during the first 12 minutes of today's Senate session.

Then, as Sen. George McGovern, D-S.D., was speaking about a bill to provide educational benefits for Viet-

nam veterans, Ford turned the gavel over to freshman Democratic Sen. Dick Clark of Iowa.

Before coming onto the Senate floor for the 10 a.m. opening, Ford received a copy of the Senate rules, the ivory gavel used by the presiding officer and posed for pictures in a formal office just off the floor.

He was in the chair as the Rev. Dr. C. Ralston Smith of Bethesda, Md., the day's guest

chaplain, paid note to his assumption of the nation's second highest elected office.

"Especially do we ask Thy blessing upon our vice president, Gerald Ford, as he undertakes the responsibility of presiding at these significant sessions," said Dr. Smith, an assistant to the Rev. Billy Graham.

Ford became vice president on Thursday and pledged loyal-

ty to President Nixon and devotion to the search for truth and compromise.

The 60-year-old Ford was sworn into office by Chief Justice Warren E. Burger in historic ceremonies Thursday night. Looking on was a packed joint session of Congress, the government's highest officials and a nation watching on television.

Just hours earlier, the House,

in which he served for 25 years, had approved him by a 387-35 vote after a debate punctuated by statements that Nixon's Watergate troubles might shortly elevate Ford to the presidency.

"Whatever grounds there are for impeachment can now be judged solely on their own merits by members on both sides of the aisle," Rep. Spark M. Matsunaga, D-Hawaii, said after the vote.

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Hunt Vessels After Storm

BREMEN, West Germany (AP) — At least four seamen are missing and three vessels lost in the North Sea off the German coast after a bad storm.

The sea rescue service said two crewmen were believed drowned when the fishing cutter Dianna capsized and sank Thursday night off the island of Borkum. Two others were rescued.

WARMER

Fair and warmer Saturday. High today, near 60. Low tonight, upper 30s. High Saturday, upper 60s.



AMIABLE KIMO JODOI TODAY Operates local restaurant



JODOI IN MILITARY UNIFORM He feared for life 32 years ago

HE REMEMBERS PEARL HARBOR

Japanese-Hawaiian Can't Even Speak Language

By JOHN EDWARDS

"First, I didn't know what had happened. Then, a suspicion that it's got to be the Japanese," Jimmy (Kimo) Jodoi recalled.

The native Hawaiian and full-blooded Japanese was reminiscing about seeing the attack on Pearl Harbor 32 years ago today.

He explained his thoughts during the attack. "The time has come. Now, you have to go against them."

Today, half-owner and manager of the Ranch Inn Restaurant, he said: "I can't even speak the language. I can understand some."

His only reaction was a "feeling of fear we might be suspect," because they were Japanese.

"I was right there where they

were hitting battleships," he said.

A civilian employed with the submarine base enlargement project, he and a couple of other men were waiting for the start of work early Sunday morning.

It being Sunday, most were still sleeping in Honolulu.

50 YARDS AWAY

Then, the planes came flying in, as close as 50 yards away.

You could see the pilots and torpedoes.

What did he do?

"Just watched. I didn't know what was going on."

When shrapnel started flying, the workers ran for cover under a building. Jodoi saw one Zero dive into a hanger.

"If they had walked in, they could have taken the whole Hawaiian Islands," he said.

The area was "paralyzed," Jodoi said.

"There was no American shooting at Japanese planes or anything until long after the start of the attack. Say, half an hour later, when they had everything knocked out."

Later during the day, "we were all over the place. Nobody

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PLANE NOTED WITH RISING SUN ON IT Sailor Going To Shower Was Stopped By A War

By MARJ CARPENTER

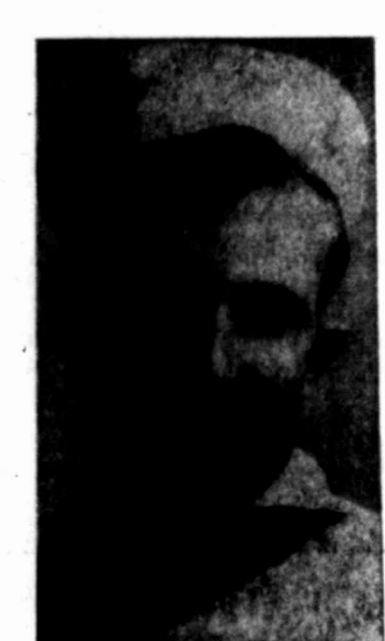
"Look at those funny looking planes flying in low. One of them has a rising sun on it."

This was a statement made by a sailor on the deck of the U.S.S. Utah at five minutes till eight on the morning of Dec. 7, 1941, just before one of three torpedoes was dropped on that ship.

That was one of many ships sunk in Pearl Harbor on that startling Sunday which caused the participation of the United States in World War II.

Many historians refer to Pearl Harbor as the day that "The United States was caught with its britches down."

Nathan Dalton, a 25-year-old employe of the state highway department here in Big Spring, was even in worse shape than that. He was caught with his britches "plumb off" because he was awaiting his morning shower aboard the U.S.S. Utah and had a towel draped around him when the first torpedo hit the ship.



NATHAN DALTON . . . back in 1941

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"WE TOOK OFF"

"I jumped into my pants and headed for my station down in the generator room way down in the bottom of the ship. There

there was an aircraft carrier in our spot. It went out to sea and we had tied up at the dock at 4 p.m. Saturday. That's why the old Utah rated three torpedoes.

"Actually our ship was taking part in a battleship experimental check out and had been serving as a target for aircraft. We had steel and lumber around the dog houses on the decks."

The former sailor recalled that there were many ships sunk and many casualties. He recalled that when he went in to help bring up the California, they discovered men who had butted their heads against the walls to kill themselves rather than to die from lack of oxygen.

Dalton, who joined the Navy for a six-year hitch in 1940 in Grenada, Miss., says, "There weren't any draft dodgers at Pearl Harbor. A lot of us chose Navy rather than be drafted in the Army. But in those days, even though we were not yet actually in a war, when young men were called, they went."

However, most people in the United States thought that the decision as to whether they

Work On 76-Unit Apartment Complex Here Begins Soon

A major apartment complex for Big Spring was assured today with the issuance of a building permit for a \$862,197 project on Wason Road.

Announcement was made by W. J. Sheppard and Winston Wrinkle, who have been working for two years to obtain the facility. The builder will be Sunnyvale Building Corporation of Dallas, in whose name, with the W. J. Sheppard Company of Big Spring the permit was issued.

There will be 76 apartment units in the complex in the 1900 and 2000 block on Wason Road. This puts the project south of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints.

Construction will begin within the next two weeks. Completion is scheduled for Nov. 1, 1974.

The facility will be known as Big Spring Park Village Apartments. It will include 16 one-bedroom apartments; 40 two-bedroom apartments; and

20 three-bedroom apartments.

Wrinkle and Sheppard recently completed a 60-unit apartment center in Snyder costing approximately \$600,000. They cited this as an example of what the complex here will resemble and invited individuals to visit with Louis Jackson, manager, to inspect them.



Big Spring Park Apartments also will include a community room, a laundry room, office building and two playground areas.

All the units will be carpeted with central heat and refrigerated air conditioning.

Donald G. Bailey, Big Spring, is the architect. Sunnyvale Building Corp., the builder, is one of the largest builders in the Dallas area.

Wrinkle and Sheppard said the project now starting has been delayed due to inflation, which called for redesign and additional financing, also the obtaining of a contractor with sufficient size and experience to complete the job on schedule.

This is the second major apartment center announced here this year. A permit was issued early in January for construction of Barcelona Apartments, a 90-unit center on Westover Road costing \$740,000.

Remembers Pearl Harbor

(Continued from Page 1) knew what to do. Everything was confused. "I never got home until dark. I recalled. Light discipline was being enforced, and he had to watch the center line to stay on the road.

'TOOK EVERYTHING' Jodo's earlier fear came true, if not for him personally, for some Japanese. Only aliens in Hawaii were imprisoned.

put in concentration camps, their property confiscated. The government took them away from them. Yet, they did nothing wrong. Later, as a member of the Japanese-American 100th Battalion of the 442nd "Go For Broke" Infantry Regiment, he learned of the resentment some Japanese Americans felt because of these government actions.

in 1943 and served with Company C. A Company C lieutenant named Daniel K. Inouye lost his arm in Italy, earlier. Jodo knew of the now outspoken member of the Watergate committee before the war. "He was just a lawyer in Hawaii," Jodo said. But the Hawaiian senator was also a member of the National Guard. The Big Spring resident said the most dangerous incident he was involved in personally came in Italy.

Jodo was fourth or fifth in a squad on a mountain trail. The squad marched within 15 yards of a German squad before the groups saw each other. "They just ran that way, and we ran this way."

A German started to throw a grenade, and an American sergeant shot the German. "Otherwise, our whole squad would have been wiped out. That's how close I was to getting killed."

'LOST BATTALION' The 442nd Regiment was called

to rescue a Texas battalion behind enemy lines in the Vosge Mountains of France. "We lost more men than they recovered," he said. One company returned with only five men. Company C left battle with the most survivors, around 15 men.

The rescue attempt became famous later through the movie, "The Lost Battalion." Many of his friends appeared in the film. A governor of Texas made all members of the 442nd Regiment honorary citizens of Texas.

Life is less exciting today. He cooks and manages the local Chinese restaurant and is rearing a family.

Jodo is married to the former Miss Ethel Arend, a native of Evansville, Ind. They have two children still at home, Robin, a freshman in high school, and Kevin, a 7th grade student at Gollad Junior High. Both children play in the band.

He has a stepson living in Chicago, Terry Arend, and three-month-old grandson, Kelly.

Stopped By War

(Continued from Page 1) would go in the war would be left up to us and had no inkling that a major power was planning a bombing attack. Historians have noted Pearl Harbor Day as an example of complacency.

Dalton and the division he was with fought across the Pacific for two and a half years. He has five battleships and a Presidential unit citation. He saw many Admirals from a distance and said, "We had some good ones, recalling Admirals Halsey, King, Nimitz and Turner."

"One codesman said that when he was on the bridge with Admiral King the admiral would have the message read before he could get it decoded," Dalton recalled.

"All in all, I think I could safely say that none of us there expected Pearl Harbor. When it happened, we were too damn busy to think. All in all, I think

most men there gave a good account of themselves."

HERE IN 1949 Dalton, after the war, he returned to Mississippi where he worked on a government engineering program on flood control. He came to Big Spring for two months in January, 1949, to work in the oilfields, planning to return to Mississippi, but never went back.

He has a son, Jerry Dalton, who recently served a four year hitch in the Navy and his wife, Ina, are proud of their son and grandchild.

Dalton does not have to hear the old tune, "Let's Remember Pearl Harbor." He remembers it. He remembers the 65 men, including his division commander, that were killed around his ship. He remembers the horror of it all and the war that followed.

"I don't know whether it really does any good to remember it. We have so many problems today. And, we may have problems that we're not even aware of... even as we were not aware at Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7 some 32 years ago."

Rockefeller Will Resign To Make Race

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York Times and The Daily News reported today that Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller plans to resign before Christmas so he can devote full time to a campaign for the presidency.

The newspaper accounts said the impending move by Rockefeller also was aimed to give Lt. Gov. Malcolm Wilson, a fellow Republican, time enough to mount a successful race as an incumbent in next year's gubernatorial election.

Quoting "closest associates" of the 65-year-old governor, The Times said Rockefeller decided to step down following 15 years as governor only after months of soul-searching.

The Times said the decision appeared to be final, although one associate of the governor warned that Rockefeller could still change his mind.

According to The News, Rockefeller informed personal friends about his decision to resign after the initial meeting this week of his National Commission on Critical Choices for America.

The News said the governor told his friends that the commission would require his full-time attention as it moves around the country holding public hearings.

Rockefeller could not be reached for comment on the Times and News reports.

Rockefeller is chairman of the 38-member panel on national choices, which was begun by the governor as a state study and then expanded into a national commission at the request of President Nixon.

Among members of the panel are officials of government of fiscal, politicians, businessmen, scientists and educators. Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger, a one-time Rockefeller adviser.

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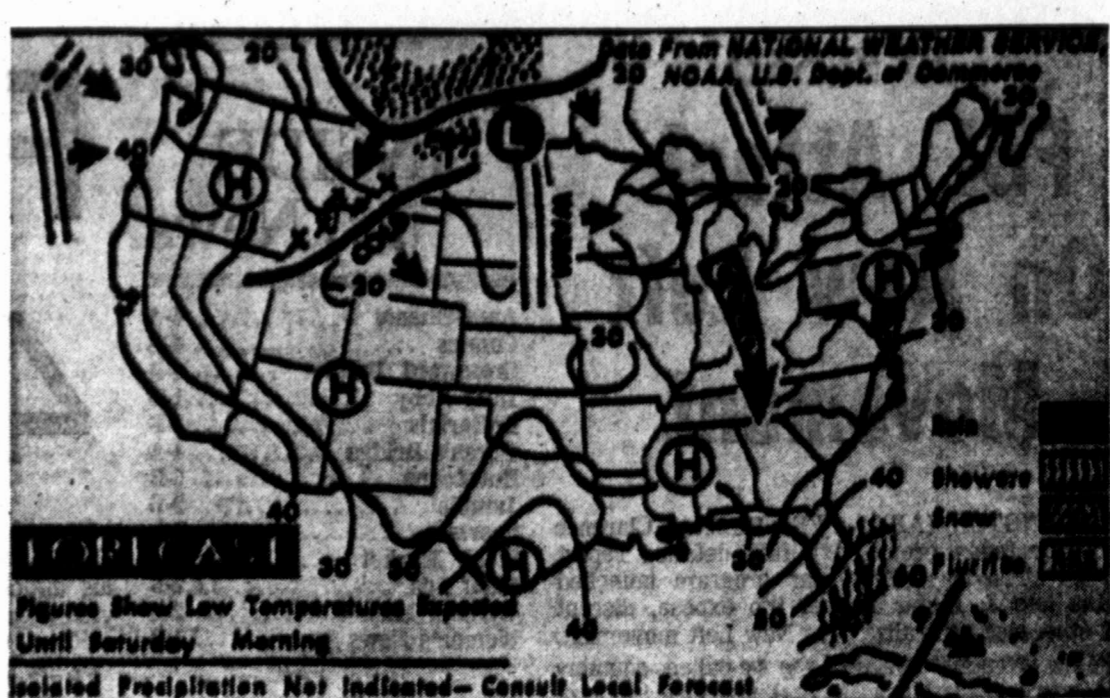
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WEATHER FORECAST — Sunny, but cooler weather is forecast today for most of the East. Fair and milder weather with scattered snowflurries in northern areas is expected for the West.

Aluminum Penny Plan Not Worth A Copper?

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Treasury Department today asked Congress for authority to begin making pennies out of aluminum instead of copper.

The reason for the proposed change, a Treasury Department spokesman said, is the high cost of copper, which is making the cost of producing a penny almost more than the penny is worth.

A department spokesman said the earliest the switch to aluminum could be made would be 90 days after authority for the action is granted by Congress.

But the U.S. Mint already has stamped out several sample aluminum pennies, which are the same size as the copper penny. They still bear the likeness of President Abraham Lincoln on the face and the Lincoln Memorial on the reverse side.

But the coin is a light aluminum color, naturally, instead of the copper color, and weighs about 60 per cent less than the copper penny.

Mrs. Mary Brooks, Mint director, cautioned that a final decision on the conversion of the penny from copper to aluminum has not only been requested to grant standby authority to the secretary of the Treasury to make the change.

Mail Box Stolen Wesley Yater reported someone stole his mail box, planted near IS-20 and a service station.

WEATHER

Table with columns for City, High, Low, and Max. Min. Includes cities like Big Spring, Amarillo, Dallas, etc.

Bitter 16 At Dalhart

By The Associated Press
Forecast called for temperatures to remain on the cool side through the weekend with gradual warming from the west beginning early next week.

Clouds that spawned the patchy rain across South Texas were expected to move out of the state during the day, leaving southern areas clear as the rest of the state.

In contrast to the chilling temperatures of the north, South Texas recorded relatively warm readings. A 61-degree temperature just before dawn qualified Brownsville as the state's warmest early morning spot.

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DONATED TO NIXON Fugitive Financier Wins Extradition Fight

NASSAU, Bahamas (AP) — A Bahamian magistrate today refused to order the extradition to the United States of fugitive financier Robert L. Vesco.

Magistrate Emmanuel Osadebay ruled that under the terms of a 1931 U.S.-Bahamas extradition treaty, Vesco, 38, could not be extradited because the charge against him in New York had no equivalent in Bahamian law.

Osadebay held that the United States failed to prove that there is in the Bahamas an offense "substantially similar" to the one in U.S. law, as required by the terms of the extradition agreement.

The ruling, issued as the result of almost two weeks of testimony, cannot be directly appealed by U.S. Justice Department attorneys who requested the financier's return.

Vesco was not in court and was excused earlier from attending the hearing. He was arrested in London in 1970.

Owners Of Pony Being Sought A dark brown-black small Shetland pony is being kept on the Grantham Ranch in the Elbow Community pending finding the pony's owners.

The sheriff's office said to call 267-7635. Also, a black cow and 200-pound white face calf are missing near Knott. They belong to Leon Riddle.

Three Men Given Court Sentences

Albert L. Sherman, Odessa, pleaded guilty in 118th District Court this morning to felony shoplifting. He was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

Ramon Franco, Odessa, drew three years probation for a subsequent offense driving while intoxicated conviction also Friday morning.

Charles F. Bebee, 19, 1004 Gollad St., pleaded guilty to burglary Thursday and was given five years probation.

Classroom Cuts

HARDIN, Tex. (AP) — Mary Baldwin-Baylor College announced today it will begin a four-day class week in the spring semester to conserve fuel.

MERRY MERCHANT COUPON SINGER HIGHLAND MALL \$20 GIFT CERTIFICATE

MERRY MERCHANT COUPON C. R. ANTHONY CO. DOWNTOWN BIG SPRING \$25 Gift Certificate

MERRY MERCHANT COUPON TG&Y FAMILY CENTER Highland Shopping Center Auto Stereo 8-Track and 2 Speakers \$81.87 Val.

MARKETS

COTTON FUTURES NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures were higher in early dealings today. Limited speculative gains were recorded.

STOCKS Volume 10,570,000. Dow Jones Industrial Average 1,114.25. S&P 500 111.42.

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including American Airlines, American Cyanamid, American Motors, etc.

Mrs. Washington

Last rites for Mrs. Bertie Lee Washington, 85, were set for 3:30 p.m. today in Mt. Bethel Baptist Church with the Rev. Johnny Mitchell, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Mt. Olive Cemetery directed by River-Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. Washington died in a local hospital at 10:15 a.m. Thursday. A Belton native, she was a member of Mt. Bethel Baptist Church and had been employed by the T. S. Currie family since 1929.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Adeline Dykes, Belton; a niece and several nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Mark Washington, June 17, 1951.

Mrs. A. Porter Services were held at 2 p.m. today in Nalley-Palke Rosewood Chapel for Mrs. Altha C. Porter, 67, who died in a local hospital Thursday morning.

Officiating was the Rev. J. E. Meeks, pastor of Temple Baptist Church. Burial was in Mt. Olive Cemetery.

Palbearers were F. D. Rogers, W. L. Sandridge, J. B. Harrison, Otto Couch, Alvin Smith and Bill Davidson.

Murtis Hawkins

LAMESA — Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Olive Baptist Church for Murtis Hawkins, 70, who died at 8:30 p.m. Monday in a Lubbock hospital.

Officiating will be the Rev. J. D. Pope. Burial will be in Lamesa Cemetery with arrangements handled by Branon Funeral Home.

Laura Iglesias LAMESA — Services were held at 2 p.m. today in Branon Chapel for Laura Iglesias, five-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Liborio Iglesias, Lamesa.

Officiating was the Rev. Jerome Vitek, pastor of St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church. Burial was in Lamesa Cemetery.

DEATHS

Margaret Hawley, Amarillo, Mrs. Bobbie Holland, Sand Springs, and Mrs. Billie Gable, Reguway, Norway; a brother, Johnny Vaughan, Rockwall; a sister, Mrs. Rosie Sutton, Dallas; eight grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son, D. L. Vaughan July 23, 1943.

Reyes Gonzales WINTERS — Funeral for Winters R. Gonzales, 62, a Winters carpenter, will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in Main Street Church of Christ with burial in Lakeview Cemetery directed by Spill Funeral Home.

Mr. Gonzales died about 7:30 a.m. Thursday after suffering an apparent heart attack at his home. Among survivors is a daughter, Mrs. Bacilio Esquivel, Big Spring.

The child died at 7:15 a.m. Thursday in a local hospital.

Survivors include a sister, Theresa, Iglesias, Lamesa; two brothers, Liborio, Lamesa; and grandparents, Mrs. Sebastian Iglesias and Mr. and Mrs. Cruz Baltasar, all of Lamesa.

Dewey Vaughan

Services are pending in Clarendon for Dewey L. Vaughan, 75, who died in a local nursing home at 8:55 p.m. Thursday after a long illness.

Local arrangements were handled by River-Welch Funeral Home.

Born April 11, 1898 in Dallas, he lived in Clarendon 27 years before moving to Sand Springs in May this year. He married Georgia Passons June 17, 1917 in Greenville. He was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

Survivors are his wife, Sand Springs; three daughters, Mrs.

The State National Bank MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE

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The State National Bank MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE

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Foot Massages Are Offered

A local business firm, imbued with early Yuletide spirit, is doing something concrete about its feeling of brotherhood.

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Says Improved Gas Mileage Top Goal Of Auto Industry

HOUSTON (AP) — The president of General Motors Corp. says improved gas mileage rather than styling or power is rapidly becoming the major engineering objective of the nation's auto industry.

"I can promise you one thing," said Edward N. Cole. "Mileage will be better in 1975, thanks to the catalytic converter system and unleaded gasoline."

"It will not be as good as we would like, and not as good as it will be, but better than 1974 (models) mileage by an estimated 13 per cent."

Cole told a Houston Chamber of Commerce meeting Thursday night that 10 per cent of it will be from savings due to catalytic converters and 3 per cent from smaller cars.

"At the same time we expect maintenance costs to be lower and driveability improved," he said.

Cole said that "for most thinking people, it is obvious we are in a period of major transition."

"Some, because of the rapidity of change, are calling it an economic and social revolution," he said.

He said that under present conditions, Americans must retain their perspective and help

Turkey Shoot Is Slated Two Days

Big Spring Band Boosters are sponsoring a weekend turkey shoot at the Webb AFB trap range. The event got under way this morning running until dark today and will continue from 10 a.m. to dark Saturday and from 1-5 p.m. Sunday. Directions to the trap range will be given at the base's main entrance.

restore confidence in history, government and the country.

"If any country can solve the multiple problems of energy and its conflict with environmental objectives, that country is America," he said.

"Ironically, our past wastefulness is an advantage today. For example, the average American uses 60 barrels of oil a year while a European gets by with just 20 barrels. We should be able to cut consumption without great disruption of industry or inconvenience of individuals."

He said the key to American progress during the current shortages of natural resources and low-cost energy is providing a mechanism for renewal.

"When we can no longer depend on the bounty of nature, we must stimulate our own creativity," he said. "now is the time for more technology and engineering."

'The Nutcracker' Slated Tonight

The Permian Civic Ballet presents the complete hour and a half traditional Christmas ballet, "The Nutcracker," today at 8 p.m. in the Lee High School Auditorium at Midland. There will be a 2 p.m. matinee and 8 p.m. performance Saturday at Bonham Junior High in Odessa.

With a cast of 80, the performances will be lead by Bill Martin-Viscount, internationally recognized danseur and Susan Benavides, prima

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'Big Eye In The Sky' Shot

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"Big Eye in the Sky," the nickname of the telescope, encountered technical problems on two of its previous launches into space.

The launch was to be observed by a nine-member group representing the NASA, the Center for Astrophysics, Harvard College Observatory, Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory and the University of Arizona.

Dr. Giovanni Fazio, heads the scientific group which also includes Dr. Robert Noyes and Dr. Douglas Kleinmann, all of Cambridge, Mass., and Dr. Frank Lowe, University of Arizona.

DOLLAR BOUNCES BACK

Now For Some Good News About Oil Crisis

LONDON (AP) — And now for some good news about oil — for Americans anyway.

The latest supply cuts and price increase by Arab oil producers have helped the U.S. dollar on the threshold of a spectacular recovery overseas.

Many bankers and officials in Europe now expect the dollar to be among the strongest currencies in the world in 1974. There is talk in London's financial community that the twice-devalued dollar may have to be revalued upward next year.

The Arab oil squeeze may be designed primarily to pressure the United States. But it could actually help the American economy in two important ways, one short term and the other long term.

Short-term benefits are already apparent. The floating dollar, which had fallen in value by more than 15 per cent in Europe since last February's devaluation, has now regained most of that ground.

Foreign exchange dealers here say one important reason behind the recovery is the oil squeeze. The United States depends on the Middle East for less than 10 per cent of its oil. Europe and Japan rely on the area for some 80 per cent of theirs.

Since Europe and Japan are the primary competitors for U.S. goods in overseas markets, the oil squeeze favors Americans in two ways — supply and price. There will be fewer cutbacks in U.S. production and smaller rises in U.S. prices because of the oil crisis. Both factors should help the dollar if Europe and Japan.

Longer term benefits to the U.S. economy are perhaps more important. As a result of both the Arab cuts in oil supplies and the rises in price, alternate sources of energy are now competitive for the first time.

SHALE OIL

Experts here say it now costs about the same to develop oil from shale or tar sands as it does to import oil from the Middle East. They estimate it will cost only slightly more to make synthetic oil from coal.

These are long term projects of little immediate help in the present oil crisis. It could take five years or more to develop such alternate sources of energy, and then only with the kind of huge industrial and governmental commitments that went into making the atom bomb or putting a man on the moon.

But work is already under way. Government officials in Europe concede that the United States is way ahead in the field.

Bridge Test

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North - South vulnerable.
North deals.

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▲ AKJ3
♥ 643
♦ 73
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♥ 6
♦ KJ72
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West is down to nothing but red cards. He must lead into one of your two ace-queen tenaces. Thereafter, you enter dummy with the fourth trump and discard your remaining queen on the master club. All you lose is a heart.

Had you played your fourth club immediately and discarded the ten of hearts, you would probably have been to finesse one of the red queens. After winning the king, West simply returns that suit and waits to score his king in the other suit.

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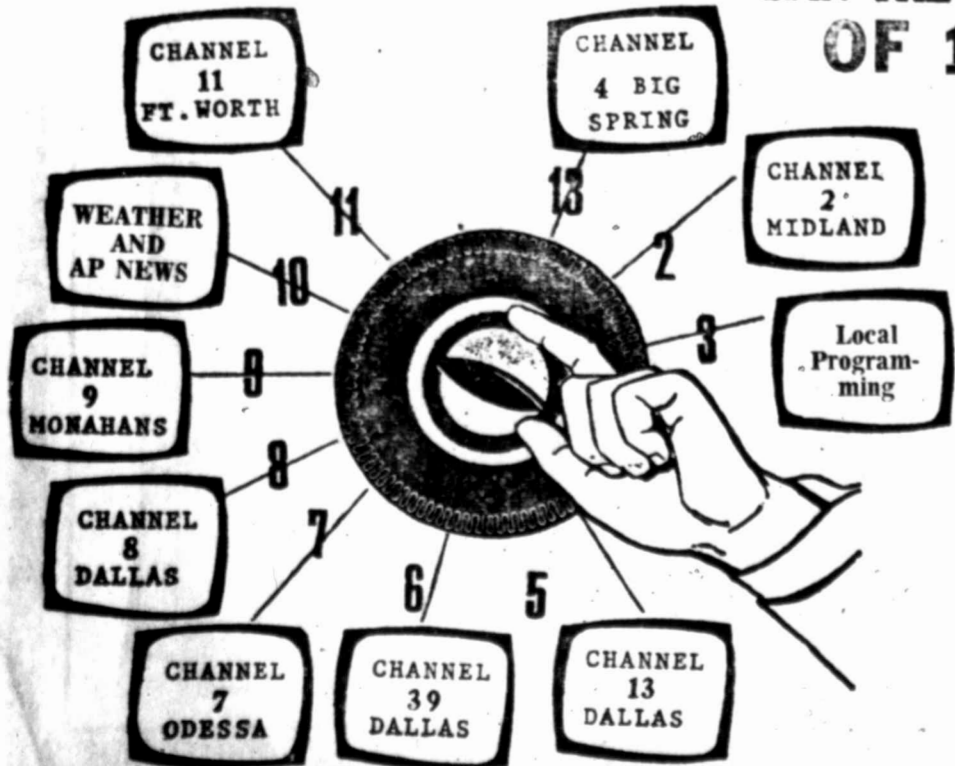
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Hawks Sprint By Wranglers

ODESSA — Howard County Hawks mixed in a bit of revenge with their success Thursday night, as they got past the first of many Western Conference obstacles with a 110-93 victory over Odessa College.

The victory gives the Hawks a 13-2 season standing and a 2-0 mark in the WC, and also partly made up for a 98-97 upset the Wranglers hung on the HCJC cagers in the Odessa tournament two weeks ago.

On Saturday the Hawks go for No. 14 when they host Pima College of Tucson, Ariz. in a 7:30 p.m. non-conference tilt.

The Hawks used a press to run to a 56-42 halftime advantage, and an early second half spurt took the game out of reach. HCJC controlled the tip to start the final 20 minutes and took five shots before Taylor Williams, the game's high scorer with 29 points, finally got the tip in.

After that the Hawks turned two consecutive steals on bulge mounts to 20 points. The lead hit 26 points at one time and never sank below the final 17-point margin.

Besides Williams, Thomas Bledsoe had a big hand in the win as he hit 25 points and Leroy Lumzy added 22. Bobby Beall chipped in 11 points.

"Williams and Bledsoe really went to the boards for us," said Hawk Coach Harold Wilder. "They both played their best games of the year. Lumzy had a real good game and Beall made some important baskets when they tried to sag off on Williams and Bledsoe."

"I thought we played very good defense, despite the fact they scored 93 points. They hardly got any open shot. Another important thing was that we didn't foul much," the coach said. Odessa College got just two foul shots the entire game and made one.

Ernest Jenkins topped the OC effort with 20 points, Chuck Downing hit 13 and Darrell Mitchell, Johnny Brooks and Billy Giddens all notched 12

Steers Enter Snyder Meet

SNYDER — Big Spring's Steer basketballers hope for a better tournament showing than their last meet tonight when they take on Lubbock Dunbar in the first round of the Snyder Invitational cage tourney.

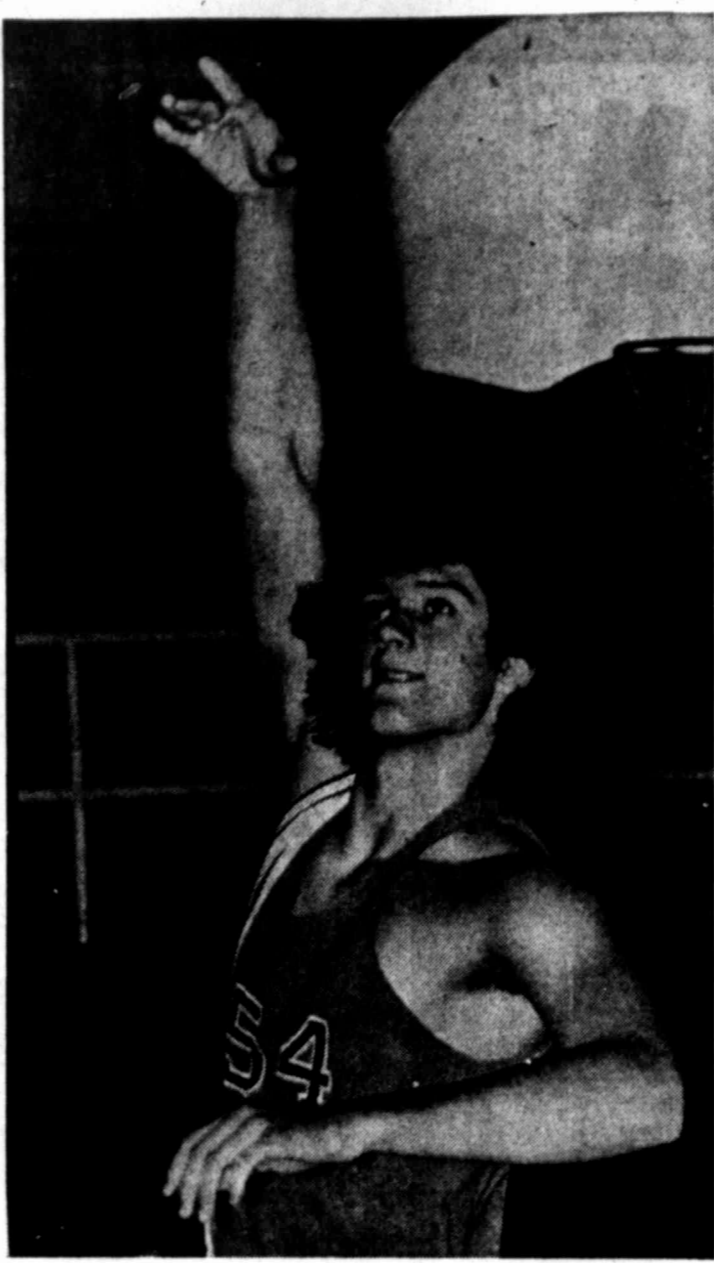
The Steers have already lost once to the Dunbar cagers, bowing 67-65 in the second round of the Plainview tournament last week. The tournament was the scene of Big Spring's only two defeats this season, as they lost to Plainview in the first round before rallying for a seventh place finish.

On the year, the Steers stand 5-2.

A victory over Dunbar would put the Steers into an 11 a.m. semifinals game Saturday with the winner of the Midland High-Odessa 'Ctor game, while the two losers play at 8 a.m. Saturday. In the other first round games, Borger goes against Lubbock Estacado and Snyder takes on Kermit.

Finals are set for 8:30 p.m. Saturday. Midland is the defending champion.

Randy Marshall, Tim Dunn, Albo Smith, Larry Stanley and John Thomas Smith will probably be starting for the Steers, while Ricky Traylor, James Zapp, Jim Ray, Jeff Kuykendall, Tom Sorley and Bobby Greene will also see action.



TIM DUNN Steer Post Man

Padres D.C.-Bound; Astros Trade Wynn

HOUSTON (AP) — Jimmy Wynn moved to Los Angeles, Claude Osteen moved to Houston, Denny Doyle moved to California... and San Diego moved to Washington, D.C.

The last move created the most controversy at the action-filled winter baseball meetings Thursday.

The Wynn-Osteen deal between the Astros and the Dodgers, and the Philadelphia Phillies' trade that sent Doyle to the Angels were among the major swaps.

Overshadowing the trades

however, was the announcement by the National League that the financially troubled San Diego franchise would be moved to Washington, continuing on some unnamed "conditions."

And shortly after the stunning announcement, an attorney for the city of San Diego revealed: "We will file a \$12 million antitrust suit in federal court against the Padres, the National League and Mr. Danzansky."

Joseph Danzansky, a grocery chain magnate, heads the purchasing group from Washington that has taken the Padres from a passionately interested San Diego group.

It appeared that one of the prime conditions of the move concerned protection against a possible suit. It was learned that the city of Washington would indemnify the National League for any legal judgment that results in the swing east.

Upon learning of the move, attorney John Witt of the city of San Diego proclaimed that a suit would be filed because

"The Padres broke a contract." The Padres have 15 years left on a 20-year contract to play in San Diego.

While the smoldering San Diego situation occupied most of the attention, there also were the trades.

Wynn, Houston's power-hitting outfielder, was sent to Los Angeles for two pitchers — the left-handed Osteen and minor leaguer Dave Culpepper. Doyle, a smooth-fielding second baseman, was sent to California for two minor leaguers, completing a deal in which the Angels sold infielder Bill Grabarkewitz to Philadelphia late last season.

For Doyle, the Angels sent pitcher Aurelio Monteagudo and outfielder Chris Coletta to the Phils.

Those deals were among seven Thursday. The others included:

The Texas Rangers purchasing first baseman-outfielder Terry Crowley from the Baltimore Orioles.

The New York Yankees buying shortstop Jim Mason from the Rangers.

Canadiens Pad Record

UNIONDALE, N.Y. (AP) — The Montreal Canadiens could turn the National Hockey League East Division into a rout if only they didn't have to play in Montreal.

The Canadiens took their impressive road show into Uniondale, N.Y., Thursday night with predictable results — a 4-2 victory over the Islanders. Montreal is now 10-2-1 in away games, as compared to a mere 5-5-1 in front of the home folks.

"We're playing better defense on the road," explained Canadian Coach Scotty Bowman, "and that seems to be the difference. The better defensive teams are going to survive into the season."

Elsewhere in the NHL, Buffalo blasted the New York Rangers 8-4 and Toronto trimmed Minnesota 4-1.

In the World Hockey Association, Edmonton edged Toronto 4-3, Jersey beat Cleveland 3-2 and Los Angeles downed Houston 4-3.

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Wildcats, Elon Vie On Saturday

SHREVEPORT, La. (AP) — High-scoring Abilene Christian meets explosive Elon here Saturday afternoon for the 18th annual National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics championship football playoff.

Abilene Christian has averaged better than 40 points per game in posting a 10-1 season mark. Elon scored an average of 32 points per outing, winning

all 12 of its games.

Freshman running back Wilbert Montgomery—who set a collegiate record for touchdowns scored in a single season this year—leads Abilene Christian.

Montgomery, a native of Greenville, Miss., passed 30 TD's rushing and five on pass receptions to eclipse the two-year-old record held by Lydell Mitchell when he was at Penn State.

Elon running back Alex McMillan, also a freshman, carried 163 times and gained 996 yards for eight touchdowns during the North Carolina season.

But the aerial game is the feature of both offenses.

For the Texans, junior quarterback Clint Longley put the ball in the air 37 times this season, completing 175 for 2,826 yards and 24 touchdowns.

Elon's senior quarterback Joe West threw 212 times, completed 109 and picked up 1,563 yards and 17 touchdowns.

Defensively, Abilene Christian has given up 192 points and Elon has surrendered 113.

Elon has been especially hard to score on in the first quarter, allowing only three first-quarter points throughout the season.

The Elon defense gave up 19 points in the second quarter, 30 in the third and 61 in the fourth quarter, when a lot of reserves saw action.

Abilene's defense has been spotty, giving up 56 points to Arkansas Tech in the opening game 46-56 loss, and surrendering 50 points in a mid-season 57-50 win.

FORSAN, NEW HOME WIN BIG Sands Meet Enters 2nd Round

ACKERLY — Forsan and New Home in the boys division and Robert Lee in the girls bracket were big winners in the first round of the Sands Invitational Basketball Tournament Thursday.

Forsan advanced to a semifinals game with Robert Lee with a 66-33 decision over Wellman, while New Home smacked the Sands Junior Varsity 83-41 and gained a shot in the host Sands varsity. Sands topped Sterling City 70-50 and Robert Lee tipped O'Donnell 51-

45 in other first round games.

In the girls division, Robert Lee sacked O'Donnell 69-36. Forsan dumped Wellman 40-33. New Home downed the Sands Junior Varsity 67-47 and Sands' girls defeated Sterling City 63-42.

David Crooks hit 21 points and Landon Soles managed 17 as Forsan rolled to an easy win. For Wellman, Woodward was tops with 13 points.

New Home put five players in double figures, with 18 by

Zavala leading the way. Refugilo Cerda tossed in 15 points to pace the Sands juniors.

Bill Rowaldt paced Robert Lee's effort with 16 points. Hancock was the main man for O'Donnell with 22 points.

For the Sands varsity, Victor Rodriguez topped the effort with 19 points, while Steve Bodine managed 14 and Frosty Floyd added 12. Ken Peel of Sterling City led all scorers with 27 points.

Johnston won a scoring match with Jody Batson of the Sands JV's in the New Home victory. Johnston hit 30 points and Batson 27, including 19 free throws. In the tilt, and Londa Feaster sank 11.

Connie Hughes was the leader in the Sands varsity attack with 21 points, while Renee Roman hit 17 and Ann Nichols managed 15. For Sterling City, James notched 20 and Gaston sank 13 in the losing cause.

Bowers Named BSGA President

Jack Bowers, named Thursday evening as the incoming president of the Big Spring Golf Association, will assume office Jan. 1.

Bowers, choir director at Big Spring High School, succeeds Jimmy Shoultz.

New first vice president of the association is Royce Cox. Other new officers are Bob Waters, second vice president, and Harold Rosson, secretary-treasurer.

The new officers will meet shortly to set tournament dates for next year.

T-Birds Get Win

HOBBBS, N.M. — Donnie Jackson hit 30 points and the New Mexico Junior College Thunderbirds turned back a South Plains Texas rally here Thursday, 107-103. NMJC led at the half, 69-49, but Robert Herrera, Marcus Johnson and John Joseph all sparked the SPC comeback and ended the game with 20 points each.

Michigan Officials Aren't Supporting Rose Bowl Suit

DETROIT (AP) — Michigan wants to go to the Rose Bowl, but the University's athletic board doesn't want anything to do with the law suit seeking to overturn the vote denying the Wolverines that chance.

"We do not and will not condone such an action... or support it in any way," said Marcus Plant, U-M faculty representative for athletics, in a federal court affidavit.

District Court Judge Fred Kaess, a Michigan alumnus, read the affidavit Thursday at a 90-minute hearing in which plaintiff Gerald Faye sought a preliminary injunction forcing a new vote by Big Ten athletic directors.

Kaess denied the injunction and set his final judgment on the case for Monday. He also denied a motion by Faye's at-

Evans To Speak At Klondike Fete

KLONDIKE — Dale Evans, defensive football coach at Texas Tech, will be the principal speaker at the Dec. 15 Klondike High School athletic banquet here. Tickets for the banquet are selling for \$2.50 each.

The banquet starts at 7 p.m. Evans is a graduate of West Virginia University.

Garden City Squads Shine In Own Basketball Tourney

GARDEN CITY — Host Garden City got off to a good start Thursday in the first round of the Garden City Invitational Basketball Tournament, gaming the second round with victories over Grady teams.

David Smith broke loose for 24 points and Louie Patino hit 11 as the Bearkats posted their

Coahoma Romps In H-SU Meet

ABILENE — Coahoma's girls basketball team romped to its ninth win without a loss, slapping Knox City 78-65 in the first round of the Hardin-Simmons High School Basketball Tournament Thursday.

Theresa Beal exploded for 41 points and Sherry Griffin managed 28 points in the win. For Knox City, Denise Grindstaff threw in 39 points.

Coahoma meets Jim Ned in second round play tonight at 6:30 p.m.

Locals Get By Edison

The Big Spring Brahmas kept their record unblemished and the Gollad Mavericks survived a close call in sweeping two games from San Angelo Edison here Thursday.

Bill Arenchieba hit 23 points, Cornell Kimble threw in 18 and Bubba Stripling and Casey Wilder notched 10 apiece as the Brahmas ran their record to 7-0 with a 66-60 decision.

Arenchieba led the team in rebounds with 11 and Stripling hauled down 10. Turnovers hurt the Big Springers, as they gave up 32, and Edison committed 31.

Dan Robison hit a 10-footer with three seconds left to give the Mavericks a 33-31 victory over Edison's eighth graders.

Mike Thompson hit nine points and Robison had eight as the Mavs lifted their season standing to 5-2.

First Round Results

BOYS	Score by Quarters
Grandfalls (51) — Rudy Ramirez 5-10; Dennis Andrews 7-15; Jose Gonzalez 3-4; Leland Walker 4-10; Johnny Sanchez 3-4; Dave Derrick 1-1; Jose Hernandez 2-1; totals 25-51.	12 12 12 6-51
STANTON JVS (41) — Rodney Menefield 5-11; Elvin Braun 1-2; Bobby Kington 6-11; Gary Hanson 1-2; Tim Glynn 0-1; Darrell Thompson 4-8; totals 17-41.	12 12 12 6-51
MERTON (49) — Jim Bailey 8-21; Buddy Wainwright 6-13; John Neeley 1-3; Joe Bradford 1-1; Steve Smith 1-3; totals 21-49.	12 12 12 6-51
CLINT (40) — Carlos Nunez 4-8; Phil Sawyer 3-4; Casey Rogers 8-21; Mike Fields 3-4; totals 18-40.	12 12 12 6-51
WESTBROOK (37) — Owen 10-22; Rich 5-10; Moore 4-9; Benson 3-6; Matlock 1-2; totals 22-37.	12 12 12 6-51
REAGAN COUNTY JVS (46) — Thompson 5-11; Hartzell 3-6; Subia 1-3; Edwards 4-9; Turner 5-11; Vander 5-4; Phillips 1-2; totals 21-46.	12 12 12 6-51
GARDEN CITY (43) — David Smith 16-31; Charles Papp 3-4; Louie Patino 4-11; Steve Smith 5-13; Norvin Biningham 0-1; totals 31-43.	12 12 12 6-51
GRADY (18) — Tunnell 4-19; Sawyer 4-8; Greenhaw 1-2; Crow 3-7; Luna 3-3; Ross 1-2; Parra 0-1; Latano 1-2; totals 14-18.	12 12 12 6-51

College Scores

By The Associated Press	Score by Quarters
Kings Point 64, Brooklyn Poly 30	12 12 12 6-51
New Haven 70, William Paterson 84	12 12 12 6-51
Ursinus 78, Delta Valley 77	12 12 12 6-51
Delaware 91, Franklin & Marshall 66	12 12 12 6-51
Moravian 55, Drew 46	12 12 12 6-51
St. Peter's 82, Hofstra 72	12 12 12 6-51
Marist 82, Kings Col. 71	12 12 12 6-51
Northwestern 87, Merrimack 67	12 12 12 6-51
Colgate 42, RPI 40	12 12 12 6-51
Miss. Col. 71, Wm. Carey 65	12 12 12 6-51
Lafayette 83, Georgia Col. 73	12 12 12 6-51
Baltimore 83, Hamden-Sydney 82	12 12 12 6-51
West Liberty 78, W. Va. State 75	12 12 12 6-51
Pisa 50, Palm Beach Atlantic 67	12 12 12 6-51
Cumberland 86, Carson-Newman 87	12 12 12 6-51
Albany 96, Oklahoma 57	12 12 12 6-51
Austin Peay 127, Union, Tenn. 97	12 12 12 6-51
Tyler 95, USM 78	12 12 12 6-51
East New Orleans 31, Ga. St. 64	12 12 12 6-51
Greene Forest 78, Wm. & Mary 58	12 12 12 6-51

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IF SHORTEN CLASSES Accreditation Not Endangered

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) - Texas school districts were assured Thursday their accreditation would not be endangered if they shorten classes or shut down altogether during extremely cold weather to save fuel. The Texas Education Agency included the assurances in guidelines issued at the request of Gov. Dolph Briscoe as part of his energy conservation program. Foundation Program benefits (state aid) nor be required to make up the days lost," the TEA said. But days lost in excess of five would have to be made up. Education Commissioner J. W. Edgar said school superintendents should report after March 31 on the effectiveness of the measures.

CLOSING TIME

All school superintendents were asked to submit their detailed plans for reducing fuel consumption by 15 per cent.

During January, February and March, school boards can shorten one or more 55-minute class periods to 45 minutes in order to meet the 2:30 p.m. daily closing time requested by Briscoe, the agency said.

"If daylight saving time becomes effective, schools should adjust their daily schedules in keeping with the intent of the governor's request," the directive said.

The TEA said it would recognize the shorter school day during the three-month period as meeting state accreditation standards and requirements of law.

School boards in districts subject to periods of extremely cold weather were asked to develop plans for such days. These could include operation on a four-hour midday schedule or closing for up to five days.

STATE AID

"Schools closed because of extremely cold weather for not more than five days during the emergency period will not lose

Big Spring Man Suffers Hurts

MIDLAND - C. B. O'Neal, 27-year-old resident of Big Spring, was reported in satisfactory condition in Midland Memorial Hospital Thursday with multiple cuts and bruises.

Detectives said the victim was found sprawled beside the roadway in West Midland just off U.S. 80 during the early morning hours Thursday.

Officers said they had not determined the cause of the injuries. The investigation is continuing.

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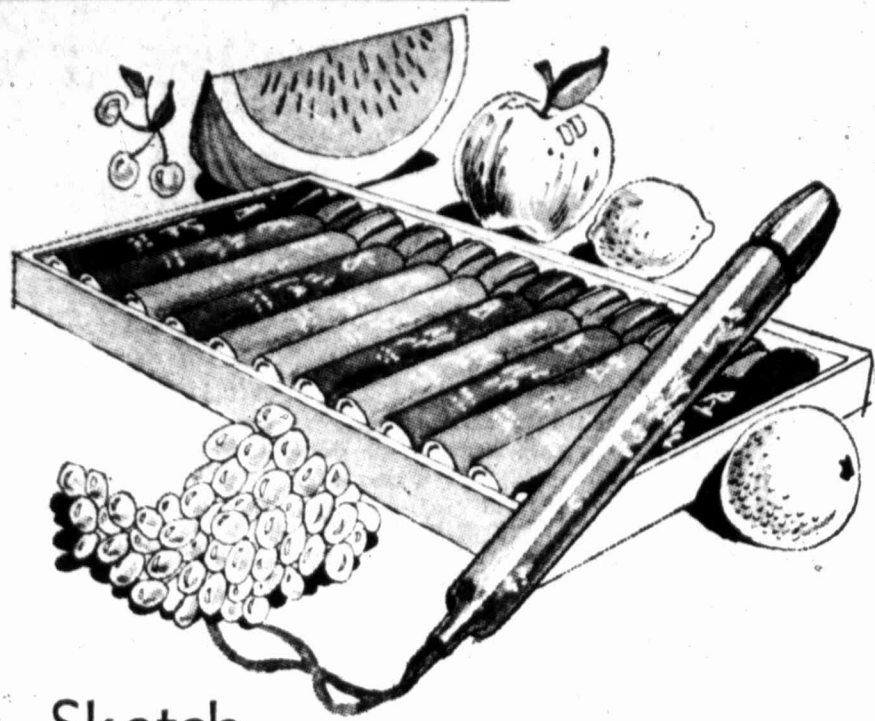
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Christmas Legends Enhance The Season

"It's a wonderful world at Christmas," said Mrs. Garner McAdams as she presented a program based on that thought Wednesday for Big Spring Garden Club.

"Christmas has a voice if we have the ear to hear it," she continued.

"Christmas is love in action; Christmas is a time of joy; of coming together; of remembering."

Mrs. McAdams suggested that, this year, the holidays would be more joyful if people were aware of the beautiful legends and customs of the season. She then told one of the legends relating to the birth of Christ.

"We are all familiar with the story of the night of the birth of Christ," said the speaker. "So many legends have been handed down that started with that glorious night."

"Legend tells us that besides the gold, frankincense and myrrh, the Magi carried with them a small bitter herb, camomile, believed to be such a powerful medicine that it could cure any disease.

"A shepherd, seeking a

gift, broke off a branch of holly, loaded with white berries. The little Jesus reached for it but pricked his finger on one of the thorns. Blood from the tiny wound stained the berries red, the beautiful color they are today.

"Joseph had scoured the fields and roadsides for hay for Mary's bed and for the manger. During that wonderful night, dried flowers and weeds in the hay became fresh and fragrant. Herbs took on the aroma they still retain.

"Since every flower and tree bloomed that Holy Night, a small boy found a little patch of yellow ones. He took them to Mary, who wore them on her bosom and called them her 'gold,' now known as marigold.

"There's a legend of a little pine tree that grew outside the manger, between a fig and an olive tree. The fig tree offered figs to the Christ child, and the olive tree offered olives, but the pine tree had nothing to give. It was sad, and it sobbed. Up in heaven, where the angels were singing, and the stars were shining, the

sobs were heard by the stars. The sympathetic little stars dropped gently into the branches of the pine tree. The lovely sight delighted the Christ Child, just as lighted trees have thrilled little children ever since."

Mrs. McAdams went on to describe customs that are associated with Christmas in other countries, saying she believes the most exciting Christmas traditions in the world are in the United States.

The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. J. E. Brown, 1606 Wood, with Mrs. J. C. Pickle and Mrs. A. C. Bass as cohostesses. Mrs. Pickle led prayer, and Mrs. J. B. Knox and Mrs. John Coffee presided at a refreshment table decorated in red and white.

Mrs. Knox conducted business with Mrs. Robert Stripling, Mrs. Clyde Angel and Mrs. John Coffee being named to the nominating committee.

A general discussion concerned the current clean-up campaign and the responsibility of citizens to do their part. Calendars and bumper stickers were distributed for sale. Some of the members agreed to help decorate at Big Spring State Hospital.

Mrs. Sam Anderson was introduced as a new member.

Mrs. Florence Read was appointed chairman of a committee to investigate the possibility of establishing an "Estelle Bristo Corner" at Howard County Library. The late Mrs. Bristow, a member of the club, had an extensive library which will be donated to the county.

The next meeting will be at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. John Coffee.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

SEEKS TRUTH — Lawyer Cathy Douglas, wife of U.S. Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas, is organizing a study of the truth and consequences of sex. She has been named chairwoman of the International Institute of Sexidology.

Legion Junior Auxiliary Plans Holiday Activities

The American Legion Junior Auxiliary will assist with the Christmas program for disadvantaged children and youth which is being sponsored by the American Legion and its auxiliary. The event will be held from 1 to 5 p.m., Dec. 16 at the Legion Hall, where there will be refreshments and games. "Santa Claus" will present each child a stocking filled with fruit, candy and nuts.

The auxiliary met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Troy Melton, junior chairman, and Leilani

Thomas, president, leading a discussion on the holiday plans. The junior girls will become carolers during the holiday season as they visit two veterans residing at Mountain View Lodge.

As a fund-raising project, the girls will construct a money tree which will be given as a prize Dec. 22 at the Legion Hall. Chapter committees were named for 1974.

The auxiliary meets at 6:30 p.m., the first and third Tuesdays of each month. The next meeting will be Dec. 18.

New Slate Elected Rebekahs

Mrs. Charles Leek was elected noble grand of John A. Kee Rebekah Lodge 153 Tuesday evening during a meeting at the IOOF Hall. Completing the officer slate will be Mrs. Grady Sudberry, vice grand; Mrs. U. S. Beechley, financial secretary; Mrs. Jones Lamar, recording secretary; and Mrs. LaVerne Rogers, treasurer.

Mrs. C. C. Forrest, current noble grand, presided for the election. Mrs. A. T. Johnson was nominated as delegate to the Grand Lodge session in March, 1974, and Mrs. Grady Beck was chosen alternate.

Mrs. Pauline Petty, chairman for the Christmas party, said the event will be held Dec. 18 at the lodge hall for members and guests. There will be a program and refreshments. Those on the refreshment committee are Edna Ferguson, Manzanita Evans, Wynell Rayburn, Eugene Clanton, Aiden Clanton and Estaline Rice.

Initiation for O. G. Burns was slated Dec. 11, and Mrs. Beck presented a certificate for perfection to Mrs. Leek. Twenty visits to the sick were reported by those in attendance.

BPO Does Plan Audit Of Books

An auditing committee comprised of Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, Mrs. Kay Williams and Mrs. William Gonzales was named by the BPO Does during an 8 p.m. meeting Wednesday in the Elk's Hall.

Mrs. W. R. Rogers presided as Mrs. Bert Hillger and Mrs. M. K. Carson were elected to membership. The women will be installed Jan. 2, the next meeting.

Mrs. Robert Boadle of Bridge City, formerly of Big Spring and a member of the BPO Does, was a guest at the meeting.

Do-It-Yourself Decor For Holidays Shown

"Do-it-yourself" decorations were demonstrated by Mrs. John Knox, guest speaker for a meeting of the Mary Jane Club of Coahoma Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. Dwayne Clawson.

Mrs. David Barr, Vincent, became a member of the club, and guests were Mrs. Bruce Griffith, Mrs. Marvin Sewell, Mrs. Johnny Justiss, Mrs. Leonard Hanson and Mrs. Wendell Shives.

Members brought gifts which will be delivered to patients at Big Spring State Hospital by the president, Mrs. Carroll Choate.

Refreshments were served from a table laid with a white cloth overlaid with white net trimmed with

Christmas decorations. A wrought-iron holder was arranged with greenery and Christmas baubles.

The next meeting will be at 9:30 a.m., Dec. 20 in the home of Mrs. Jack Taylor, Coahoma. Gifts will be exchanged.

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Dear Abby

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DEAR ABBY: I am furious. I had some used porch furniture, a pool table, and an antique bookcase, all in excellent condition stored in my basement. My daughter-in-law and son saw all this stuff and said they could use it, so I PAID to have it all hauled to their home.

The other day when I was there I didn't see any of the things I had sent them. My daughter-in-law noticed the puzzled expression on my face and said: "Oh, after all that stuff got here, I realized it didn't fit in this place, so I sold it all to a second hand dealer."

Abby, how would you have felt? And what would you have said had this happened to you?

HURT, DISAPPOINTED, AND ANGRY
DEAR H. D. AND A.: I would have felt as you did, and would have probably expressed those sentiments.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I became friendly with a couple who recently moved into our building. They are charming, intellectual people, but their apartment is always filthy and has a terrible lingering odor.

They are constantly asking us over for a drink or dinner (yech!) and whenever possible we reverse the invitation because we'd rather not eat there and we can't stand the odor.

We're not fanatics about cleanliness, but their kitchen floor is so gummy our shoes actually stick to it. Well, you get the idea.

Is there a subtle or tactful way to suggest they clean up their place and get rid

of the odor? We hate to hurt their feelings or lose their friendship.

NEW NEIGHBORS
DEAR NEW: I know of no subtle or tactful way to tell people to clean up their place and get rid of the odor. If you enjoy the company of these charming intellectuals, continue to reverse their invitations.

DEAR ABBY: Our 14-year-old daughter (9th grader) is co-hosting a boy-girl party for classmates in the basement recreation of her best friend's home. The friend's parents will be out of town so my husband and I were asked to be the chaperones.

Our daughter has made it clear that we were not to "ruin" the party by insisting that they keep the lights on down there.

While we would not expect to plunk ourselves down in the middle of the room and hold a dialog with the kids, we feel that we should be able to move freely in and out of the group. We also object to the party being held in the dark. What do you think?

SQUARE PARENTS
DEAR PARENTS: If you are "square," I am in all four of your corners. Tell the kids you intend to pop in and out from time to time, and they had better keep a light or two on, or no party!

CONFIDENTIAL TO "HANGING ON": I have no statistics on how many men eventually marry the women with whom they have lived. But I can't imagine why a man would run after a bus he has already caught.

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Way To Increase Supply

It generally is acknowledged that there are two phases to the energy situation. One deals with the immediate situation, which is held out increasingly to be of crisis proportions. The other is the long range outlook.

Independent operators here — and throughout the Permian Basin and wherever oil is produced or hunted — complain that they cannot take action to help meet the present crisis because of an almost complete lack of available pipe. Ironically, most sources say there is no acute shortage of supply, certainly not a critical one, but rather there are countless acres covered with pipe in storage.

There is a lively debate about whom this reserve of tubular goods belongs to. But whether it represents production tied up by majors to insure their own uninterrupted operations or by suppliers who are adamant about a better or more realistic price situation, or even unconscionable profiteering does not alter the fact that there is a supply of pipe sufficient for the drilling of hundreds of oil wells.

Most of these wells would be to develop present proven leases and with almost certain assurance that they would become producing oil wells. These could add, within six months to a year, several hundred millions of barrels of oil to the national inventory.

Granted this will do nothing to solve the long range problem, and even that it might accelerate the depletion of present reserves, development wells are still desirable and necessary if we are really to soften the pinch and prevent a critical disruption of the economy.

Paralleling this would be, if pipe is made available, a greater amount of exploration for news sources of oil and gas. New fields will be increasingly difficult to find, but historically it

is the new fields which are the most prolific. But even if the discoveries only helped us maintain our level of reserve, this would contribute immeasurably to the long-range solution.

This is no longer a matter of convenience for any company but rather one for the well being and safety of the nation. We must have someone somewhere in government who will have the grasp and courage to tackle this problem and free the flow of pipe.

Celestial Spectacular

Only a matter of days now, we will all be privileged to witness a blazing heavenly spectacle that will not again be visible from Earth for 75,000 years. The Comet Kohoutek is hurtling at 70,000 miles an hour on a trajectory that will make it an unprecedented splendor in the skies by early January.

By the 10th of that month, Kohoutek, outward bound then on its journey into the void after rounding the sun, will dominate the heavens. Its tail of dust and vaporized gas will stream for thousands of miles away from the sun and roughly parallel to our planet. Nothing seen by man in modern times, not even the famous Halley's Comet

last visible in 1910, matches Kohoutek.

We live in an era when men are not content to stare in wonderment and perhaps fear at such a splendid apparition. Astronomers will make the most of Kohoutek's passage within human ken. It will become the target of an unprecedented array of instruments aimed at probing its nature and determining its origin. From this may come much new knowledge about how the solar system was formed.

Kohoutek is scientifically of great significance, then. But for most of us it will be above all a marvel in the heavens — a visitant rushing by on a vast ellipse that will not bring it back our way for many thousands of years.

It's Spelled Out



Around The Rim

John Edwards

"John, this is Marj. I can't find Danny (Valdes, chief photographer). Get your camera and pick me up in front of City Hall as fast as you can."

"Okay," I said.

AS SOON AS my reporter-associate got in my car, I learned we were headed for a Webb Air Force Base jet crash north of Gail.

My 1968 model acted a little winded when I pushed it past the 50-miles-per-hour Nixon recommends, but we started zooming down the Gail Highway.

Approaching Borden County, the Caprock reminded me of the desolate landscape east of El Paso or of a setting for a western movie.

I was surprised at the picturesque mountains surrounding Gail. A Texas Highway Patrol black and white turned north, and we followed behind, way behind.

Two pickups were stopped by a gate where I thought the patrol car turned off. A couple of the friendly residents, however, told us the crash site was farther up the road.

TURNING HERE led us to a single-engine private plane setting in the road.

Helicopters hovered above the wreck site. Across a cattle guard, down a dirt road and over a barbed-wire fence, the land was smoking.

I started to help Marj across the fence. She accepted my help. Then she rejected it, telling me to go ahead and get some photos.

I charged across the pasture, and she got hung upside down in the fence.

Marj managed to escape, without my help, after tearing her sweater. Roaming around the black acres, I saw bits of metal that were once a plane.

A ditch marked the aircraft's point of impact. Men wandered around looking for the second of two victims.

After I took a photo of a man

who identified himself as Borden County Sheriff Norm (Slick) Sneed, he told us to get in our car until the colonel arrived.

Well, we decided our editors would be upset if we stayed much longer, the deadline being so near. On our way out, I pulled off the road to let a convoy of officials and ambulance through.

The convoy stopped when it reached us.

A BORDEN COUNTY Sheriff's Office car stopped behind us preventing any attempt to flee in reverse.

A polite Air Force lieutenant colonel came over and asked us to "relinquish" our film.

"No, sir," equally eloquent Marj replied. You'll have to talk to our bosses, she said.

So they let us go. Back at Gail, I filled up my car, and Marj called the Herald.

Our managing editor showed us a copy of Air Force regulations, later, after the excitement and deadline had passed.

In part, they say— Aircraft and missile accidents not involving nuclear weapons, warhead or materials:

1. If no classified material is exposed, the senior Air Force representative will permit photographs.

2. If classified material is exposed, he will have it covered or removed immediately if possible. He will then permit photographs.

3. If the senior Air Force representative at the accident scene does not know whether classified defense information is exposed he will so inform photographers and advise them that he cannot give permission to make photographs, and that the making of photographs may violate Federal law.

Air Force personnel will not physically restrain them from making photographs.

I'm sure the officials present at the wreck had these regulations in mind.

Science Fiction War



Marquis Childs

WASHINGTON — Although the House Appropriations Committee has cut nearly \$3 billion from the defense budget of close to \$75 billion, many strange and wonderful curiosities that escape most eyes are still more or less intact. They are part of Dr. Strangelove's world of nuclear holocaust.

TAKE AN item of \$548 million for the National Airborne Command Post. Only a part of this is in the current budget and the Appropriations committee has pared it a bit. To the distress of the triple domes who do the computer work for the Air Force it may be spread out over three or four years. And that, they say, means a period of danger when the commander-in-chief may be unable to direct the nuclear response.

The logic of the airborne command post is as follows: While the missiles rain down and millions die in the ruined cities a command plane flying at 35,000 feet directs the response through a battle staff with a highly complex communications system.

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF Nixon may or may not be on board the command post. It will depend on where he was when the word first came that missiles in the Soviet Union had been sent off. He might well be on his way to San Clemente and we would in that event, through the communications system on Air Force I, give instructions to the battle staff. The President and the President alone can by an elaborate coding system release America's nuclear arsenal.

Once the release has been given the battle staff will determine the response. They may decide it is unnecessary to wipe out all the enemy's cities. They may even find that the missiles or missiles coming over were discharged accidentally.

An airborne command post was activated in the early '60s. One is operated out of the Strategic Air Command near Omaha, the other near Washington. On the SAC station one

of seven converted 707s is constantly in the air.

THERE ARE in a sense backup posts for two land-based command stations, one in the Pentagon and one at Ft. Richey. The Pentagon is judged "soft" and even the post at Ft. Richey, dug into the Catoctin Mountains, could be knocked out by a direct hit. Therefore, the airborne post is essential to accumulate in a place of "survivability" all information and to relay to the surviving forces battle orders.

The Department of Defense has found that the converted 707s are no longer adequate. The need is for 747s that will take many more modes of communication that can't be stuffed into a 707. This includes satellite communication and possibly an outside computer, although the computer, not yet authorized by Congressional committees, would mean probably an additional \$10 million.

THEN THE BATTLE staff must be enlarged to man the new and infinitely more complex system. You can readily see how all this conglomeration of men and machines could not be packed into a place smaller than the 747, which is also faster and with longer flying time.

All this adds up to seven 747s with the development of new communications equipment, a giant new hangar at Andrews and training of additional battle staff: total \$585 million.

In the sanity of a long-vanished past, this must sound like the wildest kind of science-fiction. To think that, while well-nigh universal ruin and death rain down, the battle staff high above it all play those consoles that will mean the death of millions or hundreds of millions on the other side of the earth.

No, it's not science-fiction but the plight to which this tragic civilization has been brought. Can this version of a nuclear future be made to seem anything but madness?

Rockefeller Strategy



Rowland Evans

NEW YORK — The strategy envisioned by Gov. Nelson Rockefeller on the event of his fourth, last and longest campaign for the Republican presidential nomination was clarified in a recent conversation with a long-time supporter who has extensive political credentials.

THE ROCKEFELLER backer, a liberal Republican, criticized the Governor for his bland statements about Watergate and urged him to call for the moral regeneration of the Republican party. Rockefeller struggled in his characteristic way, then replied in words to this effect: No, I ran against the Republican delegate in 1968 and I'm not going to do it this time.

To some old friends, this reflects the overlay of cynicism Rockefeller had developed during 15 years of electoral politics. But it also represents his firm conviction that he will have no chance whatever for the nomination if he again is the hairshirt of the Republican party, as he was in his disastrous three previous attempts.

THUS, Nelson Rockefeller's course leading into 1976 seems predictable. His closest associates are all but certain he will soon announce that he

will not seek a fifth term as governor in 1974, he may resign as governor next month to improve Lt. Gov. Malcolm Wilson's chances for election.

FREED OF DUTIES in Albany, Rockefeller will generate national publicity as chairman of his new, bipartisan commission on critical choices for America. At the same time, he will be traveling the Republican banquet circuit to woo the conservative, small-town Republican regulars who have so long frustrated his desires for ultimate power.

THERE IS no false optimism in Rockefeller's inner circle. Gov. Ronald Reagan of California is recognized as the clear early frontrunner. The handicap of Rockefeller's age (he will be 68 in 1976) is appreciated. Most important, it is understood that many heartland Republican regulars have never forgiven Rockefeller for his past role as censor of the party — attacking President Eisenhower's policies in 1960, accusing Barry Goldwater of extremism in 1964, claiming that Richard M. Nixon was a loser in 1968. Accordingly, Rockefeller's political advisers urge an ingratiating attitude toward the regulars.



"Say, buddy . . . is this the soup line, the gasoline line or the heating-oil line?"

Sterilize Whom?



Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Would you please tell my wife and me about sterilization? She can't take the pill any more. We have been arguing about which would be simpler, for her or for me? — J. W.

There's room for discussion in this question.

Sterilization of the female consists of severing the Fallopian tubes so that an ovum, or egg, no longer has a route by which to move from an ovary to the uterus.

In the male, the operation consists of vasectomy, or severing the vas deferens, the duct through which sperm passes.

For the female, this means an operation in a hospital and two or three days in the hospital, although fairly recently a newer method has been in use which reduces the hospital time to about one day.

For the male, the procedure is substantially simpler and can be done in a physician's office, without necessity for hospitalization.

Obviously the latter is the less expensive method.

There is, however, an argument in the opposite direction which some physicians think should be considered. It is this: the female no longer can have children after menopause. The male, however, does not lose the ability to have children at any particular age, retaining it indefinitely.

For this reason, some believe, it is better for the female to be sterilized (if sterilization is wanted) to protect against instances in which there is a divorce or a wife dies, and the husband subsequently remarries. Should he marry a younger woman, he might still wish to

have children.

There are two sides to the question as I understand them, and you will have to weigh the arguments yourself. But remember a sterilization operation should not be undertaken except with the understanding that it will probably be permanent.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I have to dispute your word, but psoriasis can cripple. Psoriatic arthritis is as crippling as rheumatoid arthritis. I have had psoriasis for 42 years, but developed psoriatic arthritis about 15 years ago. — Mrs. A.S.

Well, if you hate to dispute my word, then don't. Just accept the fact that while psoriatic arthritis is a very disagreeable disease, psoriasis and psoriatic arthritis are not exactly the same thing.

Emphysema can be controlled. To learn how to live with this serious lung disease, write to Dr. Thosteson in care of the Big Spring Herald, requesting a copy of the booklet, "How To Control Emphysema," enclosing a long, self-addressed envelope and 20 cents in coin to cover cost of printing and handling.

Art Sales Up

LONDON (AP) — Christie's, the London art dealer, said sales jumped to \$48.5 million during the 1972-73 season, up from \$47.3 million the year before. The firm said the uneasy monetary situation was causing investors to put their money into art rather than foreign currency. Rising art prices also were attributed to corporate purchases and the growing interest of Japanese collectors.

Worldwide Recession?



John Cunniff

NEW YORK (AP) — Whether they like it or not, economists are always looking at cycles of ups and downs because, as almost nobody fails to understand today, that's the way the economy bounces.

In fact, the greatest single effort of economists since the days of the depression of the 1930s has been to flatten out these cycles and thereby lessen the damage of inflation and unemployment.

IN THE EARLY 1960s there was considerable confidence in their ability to do so (to "fine tune" the economy, as they put it, and for a few years it seemed to succeed. But then the convulsions recurred.

While economists today feel far less able to tell monetary and fiscal authorities how to run a smooth economy. They mightn't like to admit it, but a good many believe the world's economies will always be a merry-go-round.

That is, when one nation's economy is high another's might be low, the result of different economic policies, temporary trade advantages, changes in the demand for goods, the availability of labor, and so on.

BUT NOW, oddly enough, all the horses seem to be descending

together, just as they ascended in unison and remained high over the past few years. They went up together and now they seem to be falling together.

Students of cycles claim they haven't seen such a pattern since the late 1920s.

The fact is that almost all the world's great industrial nations are suffering from serious inflation—in some instances far worse than in the United States. Most are seeking to slow their economies. Most have falling stock markets.

This was so even before the Mideast oil cutback caused economists everywhere to sharpen the economic declines they already had forecast. They expected an easy descent and a bounce; now they're not sure.

Talk of a worldwide recession is more common in informal discussions than in the more considered, published forecasts that have been issued. One economist's decline, they fear, could reinforce that of another.

The United States, for instance, appears finally to have corrected its trade imbalance. This is, it has arrested the condition in which dollars were flowing out because imports exceeded exports.

area of self-discipline. Some years ago, the noted psychologist Ruth Stang, observed that a large number of young people were showing interest in learning to resist the pressure of delinquent ideas. She and other leaders are saying that there's a movement now toward accepting moral and legal responsibility for one's actions. That's good, because a nation cannot last long when this is abdicated.

Perhaps the length of your engagement should be shortened, to conform with your impatient love. In any event, pray for wisdom, treat each other with respect, and remember the extra power that 1 Corinthians 10 offers: "The wrong desires that come into your life aren't anything new . . . and no temptation is irresistible . . . trust God . . . He will show you how to escape temptation's power."

I am fully aware that some today would say to disregard limits on conduct under most circumstances, but certainly if the couple plans a subsequent marriage. The evidence, however, in emotional traumas, lingering guilt, and a prematurely jaded life all dictate to the contrary.

Christian or not, God made us to handle sexual involvement within the confines of marriage. Additionally, as a follower of Jesus, you have the high standards of conduct that doing the Father's will implies.

The matter you mention has many ramifications. It involves the whole

area of self-discipline. Some years ago, the noted psychologist Ruth Stang, observed that a large number of young people were showing interest in learning to resist the pressure of delinquent ideas. She and other leaders are saying that there's a movement now toward accepting moral and legal responsibility for one's actions. That's good, because a nation cannot last long when this is abdicated.

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JUMBLE — That scrambled word game
By HENRI ARNOLD and BOB LEE

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

MASCK

FLOTY

WHOSAD

ASHRIP

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Print the SURPRISE ANSWER here

Yesterday's Jumbles: SWOOP QUEST MYRIAD GAINED

Answer: Why a joke caused the carpenter to hurt his thumb — HE MISSED THE POINT

A Devotion For Today . . .

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Local Churches Schedule Many Special Events During December

By MARJ CARPENTER

Numerous local churches are planning special events during the coming month, one of the top months for religious activity.

ON DECEMBER 12, at the First Assembly of God Church Pastor W. Randall Ball invites you to attend Sermons in Song with Ken and Carol Prettyman. They have worked with such outstanding names as Ralph Paul Mickelson, Otis Skillings and Paul Mickelson. These young people have toured extensively throughout California and the Southwest region. Their travels

have taken them over 50,000 miles in the past year representing Christ in an interdenominational ministry of thousands of people. They will be presenting this Christ centered theme in their ministry of music starting at 7 p.m. Pastor W. Randall Ball extends a personal invitation to friends and visitors to join him in this hour of worship in song.

"ISN'T IT GOOD TO KNOW" a new film that abandons traditional story lines to involve the viewer in the life-experiences of

real people, will be shown on Sunday Dec. 9, 1973, at Berea Baptist Church, 4204 Wasson Rd. The latest film from World Wide Pictures, producers of "Time to Run," will be shown in the evening beginning at 7 p.m.

"Isn't It Good To Know" was edited and directed by J. Michael Hooser, a young 26-year-old film maker who brings provocative new techniques to his first major film. Using a varying number of images on the same screen, Hooser creates a multi-media effect that draws the viewer into the picture. Included are scenes from the Dino De Laurentiis production of "Barabaras" through the courtesy of Columbia Pictures.

By shifting the viewer's attention from the true stories of the people who lived them, to brief appearances by Billy Graham, to video-vignettes coupled with original new songs — "Isn't It Good To Know" and "Gone Away" by Todd Smith and "The Soap-box Song" by Judy McKenzie — Hooser created a film conveying an ultimate drama — the drama of change. Purpose comes out of emptiness. Silence becomes communication. And from the disillusionment of drugs, violent protest, and witchcraft, there comes a new beginning — new life.

"Isn't It Good To Know" is currently being shown in thousands of locations across the country each month. Gary Higgs, who has made the arrangements for these special free showings of "Isn't It Good

To Know", extends a cordial invitation to all families in the area to attend.

HIGHLAND CHURCH OF GOD claims state attendance award for third year. Over the Thanksgiving holidays the youth groups of Highland Church of God and First Church of God attended the State Youth Convention held in Austin. The Rev. A. Gordon Ray of South Charleston, W. Va. was speaker for the three day event.

Highland youth claimed the attendance award for the third year in a row. The award is based on number of youth in group, per cent of church in youth group, miles traveled, and increase over last years attendance. The award is kept for won three years in a row. People attending for Highland Church of God were Rhonda McPeak, Leonard McPeak, Marcia Nichols, Mark, Tim, and Tammy McAdams, Letha Strickland, Beverly Strickland, Cindy and Beverly Carlile, Billy Towery, Kelly McCrary, counselors Mr. and Mrs. Max McAdams and Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Carlile. Attending for First Church of God were Sandy Leach, Cindy White, Kim Tucker, Donna Hopkins, Valerie Anderson, Gayla Sessions, Wes Hutchins, Tony Brown, Steve Beasley, David Beasley, counselors Nancy Leach, Allen Sessions, and the Rev. and Mrs. Ed Beasley. Vice president of the state, David Beasley, moves to the position of president of the state for the year of 1974.

and his wife, Sally, will be Literary Coordinator. The children will attend Good Shepherd School in Addis Ababa, a school for missionary children. Mr. Threlkeld is one of 2,500 foreign missionaries that College Baptist Church helps support through a cooperative effort with other Southern Baptist Churches. December 9 will mark the kickoff date for major emphasis on the "Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for Foreign Missions." The Southern Baptist Convention goal is \$20 million dollars. The church's goal is \$2,000. Last year, the convention churches raised over \$19 million dollars. This money goes directly to the foreign missionaries to help pay salaries, share in the cost of nearly 1,000 different items necessary for the operation of this work, the construction of new buildings such as churches, hospitals, colleges, and seminaries.

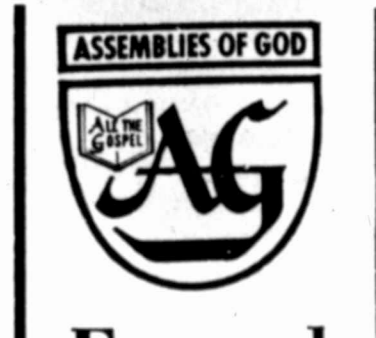
THE RAPTURE, a film by David Wilkerson, will be shown at the First Church of the Nazarene, 1400 Lancaster, Sunday at 6 p.m. The Rev. Larry Holmes invites the public to attend.

THE RECENT meeting of the First Church of God, Women's Missionary Society met in the home of Verna Blackburn, 405 Pennsylvania. Kathryn Thomas presented the last program on the American Indian. Vera Blackburn gave background of Indian life on the reservation and Indian culture. The Church of God has 11 mission stations, in 11 different geographically located places in the western half of the United States. Mickie Dickson asked anyone having extra Bibles, please contact Dick Bartlett, who is sending them to Wounded Knee, S. D. Carolyn Sessions offered the loan of her book "Bury my Heart at Wounded Knee" to the members. Norma Beasley presented the devotional, on the



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... by the Prettymans

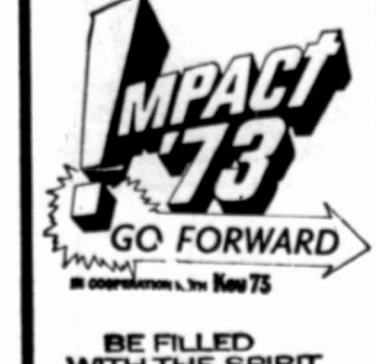
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Evangel Temple Assembly of God

2205 GOLIAD

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Sunday C.A. Youth Service 4:00 p.m.
Sunday Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m.



BE FILLED WITH THE SPIRIT

Rev. & Mrs. Donald A. Calvin

A.M.E. Church Hosts Area Mission Meeting

The Area 2 meeting of the Northwest Texas Missionary Society of the African Methodist Episcopal Church will convene with the Baker's A.M.E. Church in Big Spring at NW 10th and Lancaster Saturday, Dec. 8 at 9:30 a.m.

The church will host registration starting at 10 a.m. with a devotional scheduled at 10:20 followed by a business meeting and the director's message.

A study period follows on the theme "Living as a Christian: and 'Can't Help Wondering'." These topics will be discussed by the young people. Mrs. C. E. Fair is area director, Mrs. N. L. Graham, area county chairman; Mrs. E. B. Dickerson, missionary educator; Mrs. V. A. Williams, secretary; and Mrs. Graham, past president.

The Rev. W. G. Gilber is host pastor and Leon McNeil is host presiding elder. Mrs. A. W. Wilson is conference chairman.

Among the churches to be represented will be Midland, Odessa, San Angelo, Wichita Falls, Lubbock, Snyder, Big Lake and Sweetwater. There will be a dinner served in lieu of the weekly barbecue held at Baker's.

Salvation Army Prepares Baskets

The Salvation Army's traditional Christmas baskets for the poor are once again being prepared. Eligibility application forms may be filled out at the Salvation Army Headquarters, 308 Ayford week days between 9 a.m. and 12 noon. Dec. 14 will be the last day for applications.

If any local family, club or church group is personally assisting any one family, please contact the Salvation Army, 267-6141 in order to avoid duplication of Christmas baskets. "We would like to guarantee one basket to each deserving family," the Salvation Army pointed out.

This project is supported by the Big Spring school district with children contributing canned goods annually. The Howard County welfare office assists in procuring names for recipients.

GO TO CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE SUNDAY

"Come Let Us Reason Together"

LORD'S DAY SERVICES

Bible Classes 9:30 A.M.
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Wednesday Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.

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Minister

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Minister

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH — The Rev. Carroll C. Kohl, Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; worship services, 10:30 a.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD — The Rev. Donald A. Calvin, pastor, Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; worship service, 11 a.m. and 8:30 p.m.; Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

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EPISCOPAL — St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Sunday services, 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. and church school, 9:30 a.m.

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Bob Lewis is in charge of the production. A portion of the scene will use taped Scripture narrations, with pantomime. Ten youth will be portraying the Christmas characters. Ten children will also be used during the production. The youth choir, under the direction of David Norvelle, minister of music and education, will sing each night. Some musical instruments will also be used. Kelly Carlile will play a drum solo, portraying the "Little Drummer Boy."

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Church Calendar

METHODIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH — The Rev. J. B. Shorpe, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school; 10:30 a.m. worship; 6 p.m. evening worship.

NORTH BIRDWELL LANE UNITED METHODIST — The Rev. Jack Thompson, 9 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. worship services.

KENTWOOD UNITED METHODIST — The Reverend Fred Witto Jr., Worship service 9 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN — The Rev. Earl Price, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. worship service.

ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN — The Rev. Jim Collier, Church School 10 a.m.; Worship service, 11 a.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST — CEDAR RIDGE CHURCH OF CHRIST — Services 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday at 7:45 p.m.

ANDERSON STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST — Bob Kiser, minister, Bible Class 9:30 a.m.; worship services, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

HIGHWAY 80 CHURCH OF CHRIST — J. B. Harrington, minister, Bible class, 9:30 a.m.; worship services, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.; mid-week service, 7:30 p.m. and 4 p.m. Wednesday services at 7:30 p.m.

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST — Ralph Williams, minister, Bible classes, 9 a.m., worship services, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

BIRDWELL LANE CHURCH OF CHRIST — E. A. Garretson, minister, Bible study, 7:30 a.m.; worship services, 9:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.; Wednesday services at 7:30 p.m.

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EPISCOPAL — St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Sunday services, 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. and church school, 9:30 a.m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH — (Disciples of Christ) — The Rev. John R. Beard, Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; worship services, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Bible school, 9:45 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wednesday services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST — The Rev. Kenneth Patrick, 9:45 a.m. Sunday School, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. worship services, 7:15 p.m.

HILLCREST BAPTIST — The Rev. Collins Moore Jr., pastor, Sunday services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Bible study, 9:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.

TRINITY BAPTIST — The Rev. Claude N. Craven, Sunday school 10 a.m.; worship services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

KNOTT BAPTIST — Rev. Milton Hoos, Sunday School 10 a.m. worship services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

COLLEGE BAPTIST CHURCH 9:45 Sunday School, 10:35 morning worship; 4 p.m. church trainings; 6:55 evening worship.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE — The Kingdom Hall, 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Bible Teaching Service.

LATTER-DAY SAINTS CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS — Sunday school, 10 a.m.; worship service, 5 p.m.; primary class, 10 a.m. Thursday; and Relief Society, 10 a.m. each second Tuesday of the month.

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GOSPEL TABERNAACLE — The Rev. Dorothy Brooks, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. church trainings; 6:55 evening worship.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES — The Kingdom Hall, 10 a.m.

UNITED PENTACOSTAL CALVARY TABERNAACLE — Fourth and Galveston, Ray Alexander, minister, Sunday school, 10 a.m.; worship services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; mid-week, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

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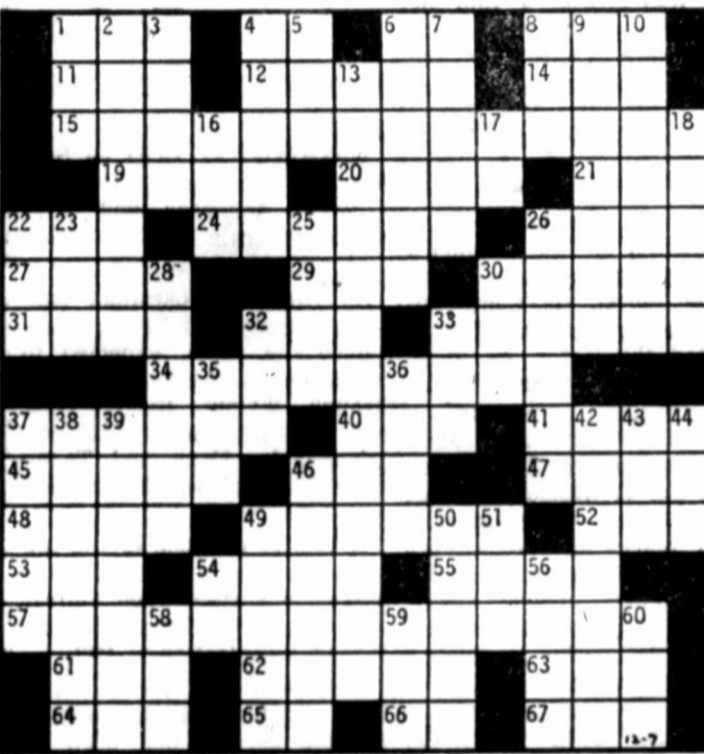
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Little devil
 - 4 Nearby
 - 6 Vasco — Gama
 - 8 Antiquity
 - 11 Enemy
 - 12 Christens
 - 14 Regret
 - 15 Old popular song: 3 w.
 - 19 — St. Cyr
 - 20 Neck and neck
 - 21 Kindled
 - 22 Aloha wreath
 - 24 Seducer
 - 27 At any time
 - 29 That woman
 - 30 Piano adjuster
 - 31 Biblical weed
 - 32 Limousine
 - 33 Gobi, e.g.
 - 34 Advocate
 - 37 Pome fruit
 - 40 Danish island
 - 41 Sound reverberation
 - 45 Auriculate
 - 46 Reveal; poetic
 - 47 Attract
 - 48 Snow coaster
 - 49 Colorless solvent
 - 52 Female sheep
 - 53 Antique
 - 54 The Thin Man's dog
 - 55 Orson —
 - 57 December 7: 3 w.
- DOWN**
- 1 Conditions
 - 2 More varied
 - 3 Persian fairy
 - 4 "Orphan —"
 - 5 Children's chasing game
 - 6 Flourer
 - 7 Turkish money
 - 8 Important age
 - 9 The first Mrs. George Wallace
 - 10 Distribute mail
 - 13 Nacre: compound
 - 16 Under the weather
 - 17 — Begley
 - 18 Begin
 - 22 Permit
 - 23 — Marie Saint
 - 25 Bloke
 - 26 Sprinkled with flour
 - 28 Begged again
 - 30 Decade
 - 32 Romaine
 - 33 Library
 - 35 — Buttons
 - 36 Russian negative
 - 37 Greek fabulist
 - 38 Straw tassel
 - 39 Toward the end of night
 - 42 Scalped
 - 43 Turn left!
 - 44 Be obliged
 - 46 Gasoline rating
 - 49 Principal
 - 51 Irish sea-god
 - 54 — Hirt
 - 56 Arabian gulf
 - 58 — Campanella
 - 59 Flower plot
 - 60 Ground hemlock

Puzzle of Thursday, December 6, Solved



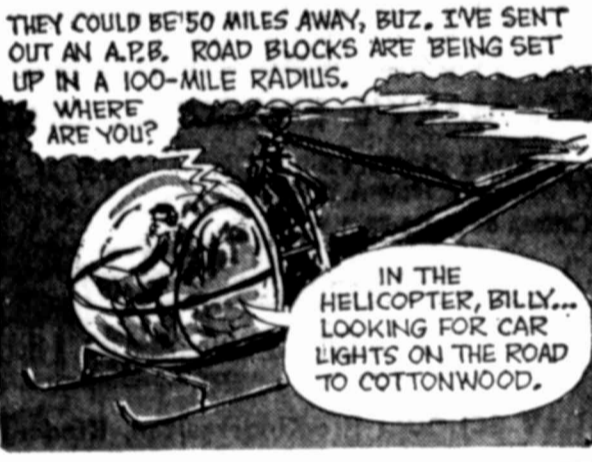
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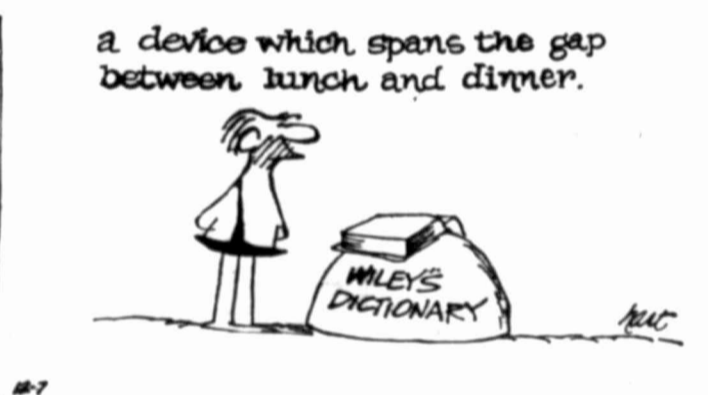
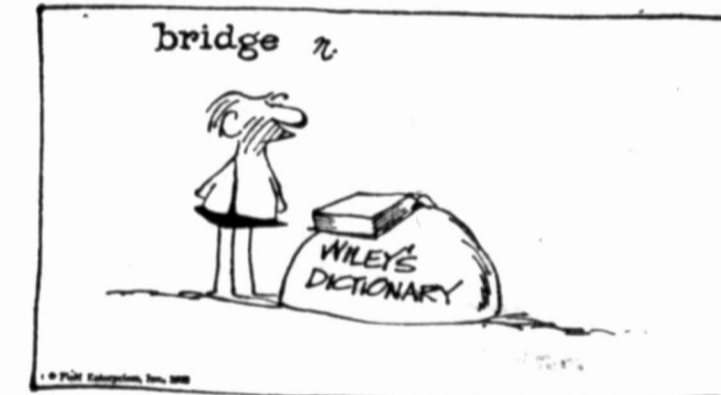
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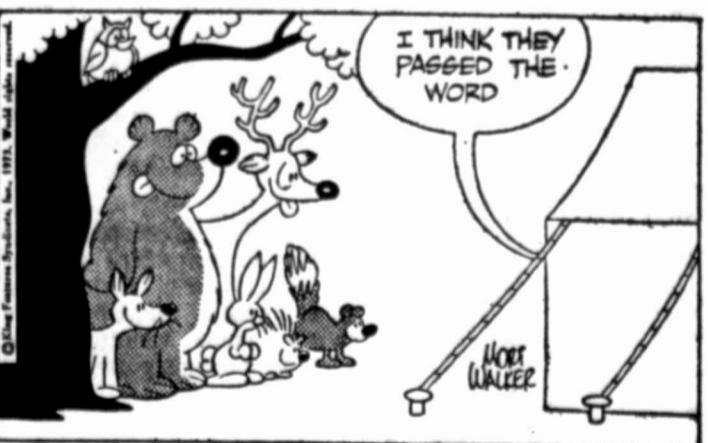
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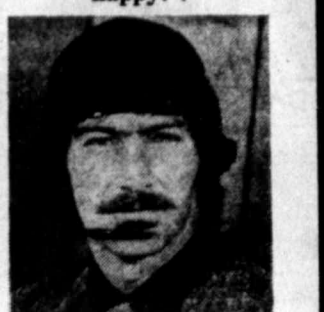
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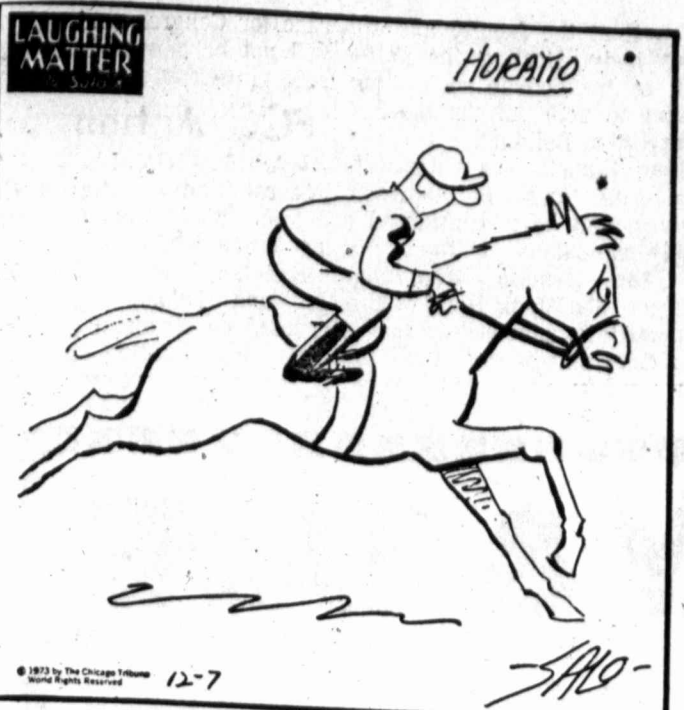
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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that Gene E. Mikaska, heretofore doing business as a sole proprietorship under the name of Lucille's, has ceased to continue such business as a sole proprietorship and hereby gives notice that such business was transferred to a corporation on November 1, 1973, under the name of Lucille, Inc. SIGNED: GENE E. MIKASKA, Lucille, Inc., P. O. Box 1753, Big Spring, Texas 77609, Dec. 7, 14, 21 & 28, 1973.

TO LOWER SPEED LIMITS IN TEXAS Moving Toward Special Session

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) -- "Bold" steps are needed on the energy crisis, says Speaker Price Daniel Jr., but Gov. Dolph Briscoe's chief aide says this is not the time for "frantic action." Daniel told a legislative briefing on the crisis Wednesday that Americans still have not been told the seriousness of the crisis. "If we don't put it forthrightly and honestly, then we are going to have to face some mighty embittered, disappointed and disillusioned people who in January and

February are freezing in their homes, unable to get to work, and effectively immobilized," Daniel said. FREEZING Asked later if he really thought Texans would be freezing in their homes, Daniel said, "I think it's possible here in Texas. I sure do. It's going to happen in the nation." In his short speech to the

briefing, Daniel used the word "bold" five times in reference to leadership and steps needed. Charles Farnell, Briscoe's chief aide, told the briefing before Daniel spoke: "Gov. Briscoe has long recognized the warning signs. Last July at the National Governors Conference, he called on President Nixon to establish a Manhattan-type project (the atomic bomb proj-

ect) on energy. The President proposed one last month." "Now is not the time for frantic action that would further confuse the situation," Farnell said. WANTS TO WAIT Daniel said he talked to Briscoe by telephone Wednesday morning about a special legislative session. He said he told Briscoe any such session should deal with at least three subjects: a 55 miles per hour speed limit, a super-fund for large oil tankers and the oilfield unitization bill that was defeated in the Senate earlier this year. Briscoe has said he wants to wait until Congress acts. Daniel said he does not believe Congress can set a nationwide speed limit, but it could threaten to cut off highway funds to any state that did not lower its limits. He said Briscoe told him Texas might lower its limit to 60 m.p.h., then watch Congress say 55 m.p.h. is the limit, and have to call a second special session to lower it again. "I'm not faulting the governor at all," Daniel said. DOOR IS OPEN "The door is still open for a special session," he said, adding that Briscoe has a tight schedule this week but that

Briscoe suggested "maybe next week" as a time for the governor, Daniel and Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby to discuss the subject again. Hobby has said a one-day session on speed limits is "clearly necessary." Moments after Daniel spoke, Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong went to the back of the auditorium at the Lyndon B. Johnson Library where the briefing was held and got technicians to turn off more than 200 ceiling lights that were not needed.

'Roll Out' Star To Stand Trial

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) -- Actor Stu Gilliam, star of the television series "Roll Out," has been ordered to stand trial on charges of assault with a deadly weapon. Gilliam was arrested Sept. 29 after he allegedly swung a long-handled ax at a headwaiter, Fausto Reinardo, who earlier had told Gilliam he would have to wait for a table at the Lobster Barrel Restaurant in West Hollywood.

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WRC Okays Reservoir

The Texas Water Rights Commission has granted an application of Cosden Oil & Chemical Co., to construct a 269-acre foot reservoir on a tributary of Beal's Creek exiting from Cosden's refinery here.

Bill Gibson, who will be in charge of the project for Cosden, said that his firm would divert more than 215 acre feet of water annually for industrial use. Gibson added that bids would be taken shortly on the project. One of the undertakings will be removal of a CRMWD aqueduct which pumps water to the water district's reservoir north of Big Spring. Southern perimeter of the Cosden reservoir will be about 100 feet north of the 11th Place extension. Bottom of the reservoir must be secured before it can retain water for any length of time, according to Gibson. Beal's Creek is a tributary of the Colorado River, water from which flows into Lake Spence near Robert Lee. One of the purposes of the reservoir will be to trap wastes issuing from the refinery.



DORSIE WILLIS Will Be Paid \$25,000

'The Brownsville Affray' Wrong Righted By U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) -- When President Nixon signed the veterans' pension increase bill Thursday, it paved the way for the federal government to compensate 167 black soldiers given dishonorable "without honor" in Texas in 1906. The soldiers, who were punished on orders from President Theodore Roosevelt, had refused to testify against their fellow soldiers during investigations of a shooting history records as "the Brownsville Affray." One of the blacks, Dorsie Willis of Minneapolis, is still alive and will be paid \$25,000 in compensation under the law. Unremarried widows of the others are eligible for \$10,000 each if they are alive and can be found. Dishonorable discharges issued to the soldiers were changed to honorable last year by Secretary of the Army Robert Froehle, who termed the incident a gross injustice. Froehle said "the Brownsville Affray" was the only documented case of mass punishment in Army history.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aziz of 1513 Rocky Bluff, El Paso, have announced the Nov. 19 birth of a son, Richard Brent, weight 5 pounds 9 1/2 ounces, in the Hotelidre Hospital there. Mrs. Aziz is the former Carol Thompson of Big Spring. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Thompson, Big Spring. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Macime Aziz of El Paso. Richard Brent has a sister, Kristen, four years of age.

Cora Shaffer Looks Ahead

Miss Cora Shaffer is looking forward to her second 100 years and her 101st Christmas. Miss Shaffer, a native of Pennsylvania, observed her 100th birthday at home Thursday. She lives with a niece, Mrs. Helen Talley, at 506 Hillside. She was 18 days of age when she observed her first Christmas. Her enthusiasm for the holiday hasn't dimmed. She wore a pink checked gingham dress Thursday she herself made down to the last detail. Friends dropped by to visit with her. Such visits, she says, helps her maintain a youthful outlook. Miss Shaffer spent eight decades of her life in Rudolph, Ohio. She likes the milder weather here.

MISHAPS

Second and Gollad: Eddie B. Perkins, Box 1818, and Pauline Hansen, Box 1664; 11:03 a.m. Thursday. Wasson and FM 700: Jerry J. Currie, 2805 Crestline, and Sam Dawson, 1111 W. 2nd; 3:34 p.m. Thursday. Wagon Wheel on 4th and Birdwell: Edgar Milstead, HCJC Men's Dorm, and Lanelle Witt, Box 24 Ackerly; 8:12 p.m. Thursday. Fence between Mobile and Madison: Len Dale Pearson, 1211 Frazier, and car that left scene; 9:06 p.m. Thursday. 704 Tulsa Road: parked car belonging to John Parks, 704 Tulsa, and Phillip Johnson, 1111 Loyd; 8:22 a.m. Friday.

Car Is Involved In Two Mishaps

A car reportedly stolen from Jerome Franks, Northeast Apartments, early this morning was involved in two mishaps with parked cars before being returned to the apartment address. Officer John Burson said he was dispatched to Northeast Apartments at 12:55 a.m. today to check on a reported car fire. Upon arrival, he said Franks told him that the car belonging to Anna Butler had been taken from the parking lot and later returned with heavy damage to its front end. Police learned that the car had been involved in two accidents, one at the apartment complex involving the parked cars of Shirley Albert and Margaret Johnson, both Northeast residents, and another at 1000 N. Main involving the parked cars of Harry Dooley, 508 N. San Antonio, and Charles Ruskin, 1002 N. Main.

THEFTS

James Kinney, Southland Apartments, reported to police at 12:10 p.m. Thursday that a stereo receiver, turntable, speakers and cassette tape deck had been stolen from his residence. Total value of the items was \$900. Western Auto reported a chainsaw valued at \$129 had been taken.

HC Rodeo Club's Trade Fair Opens Saturday

The doors open Saturday 9 a.m. on what promises to be a major showing and sale of guns, antiques, artifacts and other items. It is a trade fair being sponsored by the Rodeo Club at Howard County Junior College and will continue to 6 p.m. Saturday and operate for the same hours Sunday at the Fair Barns. Upward of 60 tables have been reserved for exhibitors, traders, dealers and others to show their collections and their wares. Special emphasis is on guns, but there will be a wide variety of other items available for inspection, buying, selling, trading. Some of the guns on

display are collectors items, some extremely expensive, others in the popular price range. There also will be tables for Indian jewelry, antiques, artifacts, knives, etc. In addition, the club will give away several major prizes during the show. Admission is 50 cents. Net proceeds from the two-day show will be used to finance the travels of the Rodeo Club to approximately 10 intercollegiate rodeo contests during the Spring semester. This is the first year for HCJC to field a team, but even so, through the Fall campaign, the team has two first places.

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Edgar Successor Will Be Named

AUSTIN — A committee of the State Board of Education has launched the search for a new commissioner of education. He shall possess good moral character and possess the professional administrator's certificate. He shall have at least a master's degree from a recognized institution of higher learning, shall be a member of local person of broad and professional education experience. In addition, he shall be a resident of the State of Texas. The search committee, headed by Board member Vernon Baird, Fort Worth, chairman of the search committee, issued an invitation to public school administrators, presidents of local school boards, and deans of education to submit names of qualified persons for the office. Texas law requires that the

commissioner of education shall be a citizen of the United States and shall have been a resident of the State of Texas for a period of not less than five years immediately preceding his appointment. "He shall possess good moral character and possess the professional administrator's certificate. He shall have at least a master's degree from a recognized institution of higher learning, shall be a member of local person of broad and professional education experience. In addition, he shall be a resident of the State of Texas. The search committee, headed by Board member Vernon Baird, Fort Worth, chairman of the search committee, issued an invitation to public school administrators, presidents of local school boards, and deans of education to submit names of qualified persons for the office. Texas law requires that the

City May Take Initiative To Insure CAB Hearing

By ANN STEVENS

Revelations Thursday concerning Texas International Airlines spurred an intensification of local efforts to keep the airlines from dropping its service here. Members of the Chamber of Commerce air service committee learned Thursday that TIA has filed with the Civil Aeronautics Board two applications — one to permanently drop service here and another to temporarily eliminate its service. Relaying this information

which he learned from an aide to Sen. John Tower, Chamber member Winston Wrinkle also said that a CAB hearing may not automatically be called as originally believed. Apparently Big Spring will have to file a brief with the CAB in order to have a hearing called at all, Wrinkle told the committee. Otherwise, Big Spring may not have an opportunity to present its case. After learning that the official hearing route could be bypassed, the committee decided to hire a Washington attorney to file a brief with the CAB, request a hearing and represent the community.

Directors To Be Selected Soon

COLORADO CITY — Five new directors of the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce will be named this week. Ballots have been forwarded to business men and women. Names appearing on the ballot for the positions are Mrs. Don (Shirley) Delaney, Rick Bautista, Billy Bob Hardee, Delbert Lewis and Bill Simmons.

Coahoma Lions Selling Trees

The Coahoma Lions Club is selling Christmas trees on the corner of IS 20 north service road and First Street between 3 and 8 p.m. each weekday and all day Saturday. The sale will continue as long as trees are available. Proceeds will be used for Lions Club charity projects including sight conservation activities.

reports that the CAB is willing to let airlines suspend service to various cities because of the energy crisis, McAlister reiterated his Tuesday comments that the energy crisis can be used to the local community's advantage. This can be done, he said, by pointing out that a fuel shortage would isolate Big Spring citizens from the Midland regional airport. This argument could be used in Big Spring's favor to refute TIA's claim that local citizens are adequately served by the Midland facility.

Pat Fuller Joins CC Police Force

COLORADO CITY — Pat Fuller, long-time resident of Colorado City and a former student of Howard County Junior College in Big Spring, has joined the Colorado City Police Department. Fuller will be a May graduate from Texas Western College in Snyder, at which time he will earn a degree in law enforcement.

TIMEX WATCHES

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Finnell Visits Here Tuesday

Rep. Charles Finnell, Holliday, will be on the campus of Howard County Junior College Tuesday afternoon for an informal reception. The affair is open to the public

as well as the faculty and student body. Hosting the coffee will be the college social committee at 2:30 p.m. in the Student Union Building. Rep. Finnell is a veteran of the state House of Representatives, and he is considered a likely candidate for the office of state senator from this district. Sen. Jack Hightower is expected to announce within a few days that he will make the

race for Congress next year and will not be a candidate to succeed himself as state senator. **FCC Action** WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Communications Commission announced the following action Wednesday: Bellville, Tex.—J. Lee Ditter Jr. and Dianah H. Ditter, granted construction permit for a new broadcasting station.

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